

Ming Daily Press.

No. 6204 號四零百二千六第 日十初月九年丑	丁渚光 TO BE LET.	KONG, TUESDAY, OCTOBER 16 AUCTIONS.	INTIMATIONS.	號六十月十英 港香	PRICE \$21 PER MONTH. INTIMATIONS.
SHIPPING. ARRIVALS. October 14 Ser Yourse Franch hard 290 T HAVE Established myself as AUC-	TO LET A FIRST CLASS GRANITE GODOWN	PUBLIC AUCTION.	S A Y L E A N D C O. are now showing their	INTIMATIONS. Estate of JOHN MORTON BEAUMONT, of FOOCHOW, Deceased.	THEATRE CONS.
October 14, St. Joseph, French, bark, 289, Dumont, Newchwang 4th Oct., Peas. Carlowitz & Co. October 15, Conquest, Brit. str., 817, Ham. October 15, Conquest, Brit. str., 817, Ham.	A on the Prays, Wanchi. Apply to OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, 1st March, 1877. [tf28]	TO-MORROW, the 17th October, 1877, at 11 A.M., at his Sales	AUTUMN AND WINTER STOCK of N E W G O O D S,	A LL Persons Indebted to the above Estate are requested to make Immediate Payment to the Undersigned, and those Persons	CITY HALL, HONGKONG.
lin, Shanghai 11th October, General.— Hongkong, October, 1877. [1540] JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. October 15, Yangtse, French str., 2,432, TR. CHARLES DAVID BOTTOMLEY	TO LET. TO LET. TO LET. Occupied by the Rev. R. H. Kidd.	Room, Zetland Street,— 50 Cases BRANDY 6 Cases Danish BUTTER, 21b, and 41b, Tins. 50 Cases CANDLES.	FELTHATS in all the latest shapes.	baving CLATMS against it must send in Par- ticulars accompanied by the proper Vouchers, before the 20th November next.	THIS (TUESDAY) EVENING, October 16th, 1877,
Hapatel, Shanghai 12th Oct., Mails and IVI was admitted a PARTNER in our Firm General — Messageries Maritimes. on the 1st July, 1877. October 15, Unding, British bank, 796, E. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.	"HISNEE YILLA," PORFOOLUM, Fur- nished No. 2 SEYMOUR TERRACE.	So Cases Manila SOAP. 1 Case Tollet SOAP. 1 Case PERFUMERY.	TWEED SHOOTING and SMOKING	FRANK LEYBURN, ARTHUR W. WALKINSHAW, Foochow, 10th October, 1877. [7d1541]	Under the DISTINGUISHED PATRONAGE of
Fawckner, Yokohama 2nd Oct., Rice.— Hongkong, 22nd September, 1877. [1451] REMEDIOS & Co. October 15, Melberr, British blark, 870, THE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY of Pierce, London 4th June, General.— Charles Augustus Wild, Edmund		40 Pieces WHITE FLANNEL. TABLE COVERS. Crimean SHIRTS. Ludies' and Gentlemen's Travelling BAGS.	A Very Choice Assortment of FANCY and BLACK WINDSOR SCARVES.	The HONGKONG DERBY, a Sweepstakes of \$20 each, half forfeit if declared on or before.	HIS EXCELLENCY JOHN POPE HENNESSY, C.M.G., &c., &c.,
Pierce, London 4th June, General. Abenhold, Karberg & Co. October 15, Colorado, Amer. ship, 1075, G. N. Graham, Newcastle, N.S.W., 25th CHABLES, AUGUSTUS, WILD, EDMUND Henry Lavers, Hugh Francis Ramsay, and Francis Gilman in our Firm at Hongkong and Foodbow, CEASED on the 30th April, 1877	Apply to DAVID BASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, 15th October, 1877. [30]	REVOLVERS and CARTRIDGES. CHEESE, &c., &c. Also,	CRAVATA	the day of closing Entries, with \$100 added for 1st. Pony, and \$50 for 2nd. For all China Ponies bond fide Griffins at date of Entry (1st	GOVERNOR and COMMANDER IN CHIEF. THE FAMOUS
August, Coals.—Russell & Co. October 15, E. von Beaulieu, Ger. bark, Young and Edward Tobin. 336, W. Schneider, Newchwang 7th GILMAN & Co.	TO LET. THE GROUND FLOOR of No. 39, Queen's Road, with Godown underneath; Compressions and Servants' Offices. Also additional	TERMS OF BALE. Cash before delivery in	A New Stock of Southgate's Patent Overland TRUNKS. Ladies' Dress TRUNKS. Sole Leather	February, 1878). First Pony, 70 per cent.; Second, 20 per cent.; Third, 10 per cent. Weight, 10st, 7lb. One Mile and a Half. (NOMINATIONS CLOSE on THURSDAY,	ROYAL ILLUSIONISTS, from ENGLAND'S HOME OF MYSTERY, THE
October, Beans.—Ed. Schellhass & Co. Hongkong and Foodhow, October 14, Daughin, French bark, 837, 22nd September, 1877. [Im1452 Lelionnais, Labuan 18th September, NOTHCE.	Godown accommodation if required. Immediate Possession. Apply to TURNER & Co.	Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots, with all faults and errors of description, at purchasers' risk on the fall of the hammer.	The "Dresdnought" PORTMANTEAUS. The "Dresdnought" PORTMANTEAU.	the 27th December, 1877, addressed to the Clerk of the Course at the Club). By Order, DENIS CREAGH.	EGYPTAIN HALL, London; where their unparalleled Entainments were pre-
October 15, Fu-rew, Chinese steamer, 920, A. Croad, Shanghai 12th October, Gene-This Day E. BLACKHEAD & Co.		Anctioneer. Hongkong, 16th October, 1877. [1547] PUBLIC AUCTION	Solid Leather. MEERSCHAUM PIPES, CIGAR and CIGARETTE HOLDERS, WHITE LONG CLOTH, OXFORD TWILL and	Captain 28th Regiment, Clerk of the Course. Hongkong, 12th October, 1877. [2w1530]	sented nightly to prowded audiences for over two years. In their UNIQUE and STARTLING
Hongkong, 1st October, 1877. [1m1488 CLEARANCES. NOTICE. ATTHE HARROUR MASTER'S OFFICE. LIROM This Date Mr. EDWARD SHEP.	House and Estate Agent, N. 9, Hollywood Road.	HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE COTTAGE PIANO, &c.	COLQUED REGATTA SHIRTS. LAMBSWOOL, SAKONY, CASHMERE, SHIRTS. MERINO UNDER-SHIRTS.	OFFICE OF THE YANGTSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION.	WONDERS.
Howsang, Chinese steamer, for Shanghai. Norma, British steamer, for Swetow. PARD and Mr. M. W. GREIG are authorized to SIGN the NAME of our FIRM per procuration at FOOCHOW, and Mr. F. F.	TO LET. THE DWELLING HOUSE at West	to Sell by Public Auction, on FRIDAY, the 19th day of October, 1877, at the House	GENTLEMEN'S HALF HOSE in SILR, LAMBS- WOOL, CASHMERE, MERINO, LISLE THREAD, ————————————————————————————————————	SHANGHAI, 8th October, 1877. In Pursuance of a Resolution passed at the General Meeting of the Association, held on the	PROFOUNDLY MYSTERIOUS SEANCES have been given in the presence of the
Jubilee, British ship, for San Francisco. RUSSELL & Co. China, 1st June, 1877. China, 1st June, 1877. ROSSELL & Co. 16m867	in the occupation of HERBERT COPE, Esq. Also, The THREE LARGE HOUSES (recently	known as "FLETCHER'S BUILDING," next to the Control Department, at 2 P.M.,— The HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE of a Gan-	"Clyde," "Tandem," "Lothair," "Connaught," "London Society," Shakespeare," &c.	5th July, 1877, a Return of Capital of One Hundred and Fifty Taels per Share will be made at the Office of the Secretaries on the	CROWNED HEADS and NOBILITY Of EUROPE, and before VAST and INTELLIGENT ASSEMBLACES
Yesso, British steamer, for East Coast. Ports of Takow and Taiwangoo, Formosa, as GENERAL MERCHANT and COMMIS-	thoroughly repaired) known as FLETCHER'S BUILDINGS, adjoining the Control Department. They may be occupied as entire Dwellings or in Flats, and would be suitable for a Mess or	sisting of— Green Rep-covered COUCHES and CHAIRS.	SILK UMBLELLAS and WALKING STICKS. TURKISH TOWELS and BATH BLANKETS.	15th instant, to Shareholders of Record the 10th instant. - WAREAUTS will be delivered by the Undersigned to the Shareholders, or their Lawful	throughout the civilized world. Astonishing and Confounding the Wisest of all
October 15, Pebuvian, Brit. ship, for Moul- mein. October 15, Lucia, Brit. bark, for Manila. DEPARTURES. SION AGENT, under the Style or Firm of "Julius Mannich & Co." Julius Mannich & Co."	Boarding Establishment. SPACIOUS GRANITE AND COAL GO. DOWNS, connected with the above, fronting	BOARD, WHATNOTS, Dinner and Dessert SERVICES, GLASS and PLATED WARE,	LINEN DAMASK TABLE CLOTHS and NAPKINS, in all sizes. LINEN and COTTON SHEETING and PILLOW LINEN.	Representatives on Presentation of Share Certificates. RUSSELL & Co.,	Countries. POSITIVELY THE LAST APPEARANCE
October 15, Howsang, Chinese-steamer, for Shanghai. October 15, Golden Horn, British str., for porary absence from the Colony.	Solicitors.	Tron BEDSTEADS, WARDROBES, Toilet TABLES and GLASSES, WASHSTANDS and SERVICES, CHEVAL GLASS, &c., &c.	WOOLLEN DEPARTMENT.	.2w1531] Secretaries. NOTICE. Office of the SHANGHAL STEAM NAVI-	THE ROYAL ILLUSIONISTS, On which occasion Mr. KELLAR will give a
Haiphong. October 15, Java, Dutch str., for Singapore. Surveyor to Local Offices and Lloyds', Register of Shipping.	Supreme Court-House, Hongkong, 17th September, 1877. [665] TO LET	A COTTAGE PLANO. See Catalogues. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots.	Early Inspection of our LARGE and CHOICE STOCK of SCOTCH and ENGLISH GOODS in all the newest and most fashionable makes, con-	GATION COMPANY, in Liquidation. A SECOND RETURN of GAPITAL, at	FULL and COMPLETE EXPOSE of the
PASSENGERS. 2, Club Chembers, Hongkoog, 19th March, 187. [Small) Per Yangtse, str., from Shanghai. NOTICE.	OCCUPATION OF MESSES. DOUGLAS LAPBAIR & Co. The DWELLING HOUSE No. 10, GOUGH	with all faults and errors of description; at purchasers' risk on the fell of the hammer. J. M. GUEDES, Jun.	NEW WOOL And WURSTED COATINGS, FINE SAXONY COATINGS,	October, payable at the Office of the Liquidators, on the Sth instant.	WONDERFUL SPIRIT CABINET, showing the MYSTERIOUS AGENCIES
For Hongkong.—Messrs. H. W. Dumman, A. W. E. have opened a Branch of our Esta-Wood, Roberts, E. W. Knox, W. H. Thompson, A. Zimmermann, and Tartar General, and 20 Mr. L. JUEDELL is anthorized to SIGN. Chinese. For Marseilles,—Mrs. Schutt and our Firm per Procuration.	Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.	Hongkong, 10th October, 1877. [1522] PUBLIC AUCTION.	VESTINGS, FRIEZES,	. Warrants will be delivered by the Undersigned to Shareholders or their lawful representatives on presentation of Share Certificates for enlorse-	at more while the doors of the etymotype are
child, Messrs. George Malteau, Goodfellow. Gerard, and B. Reimy. Per Undine, from Yokohama. Mr. Hesdale. Swatow-Heihow, 1st October, 1877. [3m1508] NOTICE.	Hongkong, 10th July, 1877. [788] TO LET. POOMS in PREMISES, 20, PRAYA CEN. TEAL, suitable for Offices or Private	d. windrion, ou	for ULSTEE OVERCOATS, &c., &c. Great care has been bestowed in the selection of these Goods both as regards style and substance, and having had our orders executed at a time	The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 2nd to the 8th instant inclusive.	Admission
Per Fueyew, str., from Shanghai:— Undersigned in the Firm of Messrs. Mr. Maikswell and 120 Chinese. BROWN & Co., of Amoy, CEASED on the DEPARTED. S1st December, 1878.	Dwelling. Apply to JUSTUS LEMBKE & Co Hongkong, 2nd October, 1877. [tf1487]	the 22nd October, 1877, at 2 o'clock P.M., at his	when the Choicest Goods were in the Market we confidently solicit your Orders. TAILORING DEPARTMENT.	By Order, RUSSELL & Co., Liquidators. Shanghai, 2nd October, 1877. [1512]	Seats can now be secured at Mesers. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.'s, where Plan of the Hall can
Per Java, str., for Singapore : 208 Chinese. TO DEPART: Per Yesso, str., for East Coast NOTICE.	THE DWELLING HOUSE in CAINE BOAD, at present in the occupation of H. DE POUEY, Est. Possession from 1st November	TURE, &c., comprising :—English-made Oval CENTRE TABLE, Teakwook BOOK STAND, PICTURES, CLOCKS, and STATUETTE.	This Department having undergone extensive alterations is now upon the Ground Floor of the Exchange, which will conduce much to the	ANGTSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION. CAPITAL (Fully Paid-up)	Doors open at 8,30; Commence at 9 o'clock
5 Europeans and Chinese. ON the First November I purpose establishing myself in FOOCHOW as an EXCHANGE and GENERAL BROKER.	next. Apply to JOHN JACK. East Point.	BOARD, and WHATNOTS, Carved Dining- room CHAIRS, Steel FENDERS, Dinner, Dessert, and Breakfast SETS, GLASSWARE,	convenience of our Customers. It is placed under New and Effective Management and all orders entrusted to us will receive prompt attention and be executed in a first-class style.	PERMANENT RESERVE Tls. 230,000 SPECIAL RESERVE FUND Tls. 75,000	sharp. Hongkong, 15th October, 1877. [1527
The German back E von Beaulieu reports left COMMISSION AGENT, and PUBLIC AC- Newchwang on 4th October, and had strong N.W. winds throughout Foochow, September, 1877. [1410]	With Possession 1st September,	and PLATED WARE. Iron BEDSTEADS, English-made Maho- gany Marble-top WASHSTAND, TOILET TABLE, TOILET GLASS, WARDROBES,	SAVLE AND CO. VICTORIA EXCHANGE,	TOTAL CAPITAL and Accumulations this date Tis. 725,000	FOR SWATOW. THE Steamship "MADAGASCAR,"
The British bark Melbrek reports left London on 4th June; and had strong N.E. winds from 17 N., previously light variable winds and calms. The British bark Melbrek reports left London on 4th June; and had strong N.E. winds from 17 ONGKONG & SHANGHAL BANKING CORPORATION.	Elgin Street. Apply to LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.	CHEST of DRAWERS, &c. Catalogues will be issued, and the whole to be on yiew on and after Saturday, the 21st instant.	QUEEN'S ROAD AND STANLEY STREET, HONGKONG; AND AT SHANGHAI.	F. B. FORBES, Esq., Chairman. M. W. BOYD, Esq. C. KEES, Esq. M. P. Evans, Esq. C. Lucas, Esq.	Timm, Master, will be despatched for the above Port TO-MORROW, the 17th inst., at 10 A.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to
The British steamship Conquest reports left Shanghai on 11th October, and had strong N.E. PAID-UP CAPITAL	Hongkong, Slat July, 1877. [tfl181] HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.	TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed to 7.1.7. All Lots, with all faults and errors of description, at Purchasers risk on the fall of the hammer.	WATCH AND CHRONOMETER MANUFACTURERS AND	Mesers. RUSSELL & Co., Shanghai.	Hongkong, 15th October, 1877. [1543] FOR AMOY, TAIWANFOO, AND
The Chinese steamship Fu-yew reports left Shanghai on 12th October, and had moderate N.E. winds and fine weather throughout the Court of Directors: Chairman—H. Hoppius, Esq. Deputy Chairman F. D. Sassoon, Esq.	ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE YEAR 1876.	Hongkong, 15th October, 1877. [1542]	JEWELLERS. NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS, CHARTS, AND BOOKS.	Mosers BARING BROTHERS & Co. AGENCIES IN	TAMSUL THE Steamship
The French sleamship Yungtse reports, left Hon. W. Keswick. Shanghai on 12th October, and had pleasant weather throughout. On the 13th instant. E. R. Bellios, Esq. A. Molver, Esq. W. H. Forbes, Esq. Withelm Reiners, Esq. Hon. W. Keswick. Ed. Tobin, Esq. Chief Manager. Chief Manager. Honskong—Thomas Lagrson, Esq.	with a List of their Contribution for the year onding S1st December last, in order that the	PUBLIC AUCTION,	JOHN SKINKER, 115, PINE STREET, SAN FRANCISCO CALIFORNIA	Hongkong, London, San Francisco, and the Frincipal Ports in the East. Policies granted on Marking Risks to all	Captain Young, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 17th inst., at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to
passed the steamer Chafoo off Pikishan Manager. The British bark Unding reports left Yoko Shanghai Ewen Camenon, Esq.	Distribution of Twenty PER CENT. (20°/2) of the Nett Profits reserved for Contributors may be arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the 31st October next will be adjusted by the Com-	(Lote "CALABAR.") This Steamer was built on the Clyde in 1864.	Sole Agent on the Pacific Coast for WINCHESTER REPEATING ARMS Co.'s Repeating Rifles, Carbines, and Muskets, Model	parts of the World, at CURRENT RATES. Subject to a charge of 12. /, for Interest on Shareholders' Capital, all the Profits of the Underwiting Business will be annually dis-	FOR BANGKOK
hams on 2nd October, and had a light passage to 23 N. and 127 F. when experienced a severe typhoon passing to the Northward, but sustained no damage except losing a few sails. HONGKONG—INTEREST ALLOWED. On Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of	pany, and no claims or alterations will be subsequently admitted. JARDINE MATHESON & Co., General Managers.	Beam ft. 31.4 Depth ft. 19.2 Gross Tonnago Tons 1.121.61	1866 and 1873; Plain Mounted, or Gold, Silver, or Nickel-Plated, and Beautifully Engraved. METALLIC CARTRIDGES	tributed among all Contributors of Business in proportion to the premium paid by them. RUSSELL & Co.	The state of the s
SHANGHAI SHIPPING. October— ARBIVALS 3, June, British correctes, from Nagasaki Dercent, per Annum on the daily balance. On Fixed Deposits — For 8 months 2 per cent, per annum. For 6 months 4 per cent, per annum.	Hongkong, let August, 1877. [3m1203 CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.	Register Tonnage Tons 762.69 Horse Power 250 The Sale will take place in the Port of Shanghal	of all sizes and kinds for Pistols or Rifles of their make. [3m1305] NOW ON SALE.	Hongkong, 1st October, 1877. [1513] HONGKONG HOTEL.	the above Port on SATURDAY, the 20th inst., at 5 P.M For Freight or Passage, apply to YUEN FAT HONG.
4. Taku, British steamer, from Tientain. 4. Drogen, British steamer, from Nagasaki. 4. Hiroshima Maru, Jap. str., from Nagasaki. 4. Ulysses, British steamer, from Liverpool. 5. Every description of Banking and Exchange	Adjustment of Bonus for the Year 1876.	NOTICE.	THE HOUSEHOLD COMPANION AND AND ASSISTANCE.	TENDERS are invited for a LEASE of the HONGKONG HOTEL, the present Five yearly Lease expiring on the 31st August, 1878. SEALED TENDERS to be sent in on or be-	1 Some and the state of the particular of
4, Kiang chang, Chinese str., from Hankow. 5, Kiang yung, Chinese str., from Hankow. 5, F. B. Watson, Amr. bark, from Nagasaki. 6 commercial places in Europe, India, Australia,	with a Last of their Contributions for the year ending 31st December last, in order that the proportion of the Net Profits to be reserved for	TIVE GOVERNMENT SECURITY LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY (LIMITED).	By Dr. DEVAN, With many Additions, Corrections, and Dr. Williams' Orthography. Price:—	fore the 31st March, 1878, to the SECRETARY of the Hongkong Hotel Company, Limited who will supply any information required.	
5. F. Storace, Italian bark, from Nagasaki. America, China and Japan. 6. Shanghai, British steamer, from Hunkow. 7. Sin Nanzing, British str., from Tientsin. 7. Conquest, British steamer, from Tientsin. 7. Conquest, British steamer, from Tientsin. 7. Conquest, British steamer, from Tientsin.	Contributors may be arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the 31st October next will be adjusted by the Company, and no claims or	Hongkong, 6th June, 1877. [tf81	In Paper Wrapper \$1.50 Nestly Bound \$2.00 Apply at the Daily Press Office	By Order of the Directors, LOUIS HAUSCHILD, Secretary, Hongkong, 15th September, 1877. [142]	DOWN. For Particulars, apply to G. M. SMITH, Canton.
7, Yungehing, Chinese str., from Hankow. 8, Egeria, German steamer, from Hamburg. 8, Kinng-ching, Chinese str., from Hankow. TRALIA AND CHINA	alterations will be subsequently admitted. JAS. B. COUGHTRIE, Scorotary. Hongkong, 1st August, 1877. [Sml186]	THE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to GRANT IN- SURANCES at Current Rates	R. ROGERS begs to inform his Patrons	MANILA. FIGHE Undersigned has This Day OPENED	DENTAL NOTICE.
9, Tung tung, Chinese str., from Hankow. 9, Tunsin, British steamer, from Hankow. 9, Haining, British steamer, from Tientsin. October—Departures. Bankers.	PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.	MELCHERS & Co., Agents, Royal Insurance Company. Hongkong, 27th March, 1876. [65	Amoy and Foodhow in September and October, leaving Hongkong about the 15th of September, Hongkong, 7th August, 1877.	at this Port a BUSINESS, consisting of Hotel, Self-Chandlery, and Grneral Storekeeper, situated on the Mole, facing the Bay.	the 24th instant, until further notice, at his Rooms, Ground Floor, HOTEL DEL'UNIVERS.
3. Nagoya Maru, Japan str., for Nagasaki. 8. Has ship, Chinese steamer, for Tientsin. 3. Kiangkwan, Chinese str.) for Newshwang. THE NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND 5. Hanyang, British steamer, for Hankow.	Agents to the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$40,000, on Buildings or on Goods stored therein.	(LIMITED),	NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY AT HAMBURG.	Fresh Provisions and Water supplied on the shortest Notice. EDWARD VERRIL. Manila, September 12th, 1877.	RIENTAL HOTEL
5, Taku, Brifish steamer, for Tientsin. The Bank's Branch in Honokong grants 6, Hankow, British steamer, for Hankow. 6, Hankow, British steamer, for Hankow. 7 places in Europe and the East; buys and re-	OUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.	coordance with the Company's Articles of As-	Company are prepared to GRANT IN- SURANCES to the extent of \$65,000, on first-		TIFFIN at ONE. DINNER at HALF-PAST SEVEN.
6. Argentino, British steamer, for Negasaki. Anduots all kinds of Banking and Exchange 6. Longiellow, British bank, for Kobe. business. 7. Kinng-chang, Chinese str., for Hankow. Local Bills discounted, and interest allowed	POLICIES AGAINST FIRE to the	buted annually to Contributors, whether Share- holders or not, in proportion to the net amount of Premia contributed by each, the remaining	Hongkong, 27th March, 1876, [64	On the Mora, near the Harbour Master's Office and within Ten Minutes' walk of the Merchants' Offices.	Wines, Spirits, &c., of the Best Quality only. English, French, and German Spoken. BILLIARD ROOMS—BOWLING ALLEYS.
7. Hac ting. Chinese steamer, for Tientsin. 8. Hedvig. British bark, for Nagasaki. 9. Supreme, British bark, for Nagasaki. 9. Sin Nanzing, British str., for Tientsin.	Goods stored therein, at Current Local Rates, subject to a Discount of 20 % on the premia. NORTON & Co.,	1. Program (4), And (4) Company (4) (4) (4) (4) (4) (4) (4) (4) (4) (4)	INSURANCE COMPANY THOM this date, until further notice, a dis-	TABLE D'HOTE, BATHS, BIRLIARDS, &c. EDWARD VERRIL, Proprietor	NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES, BRITISH BARK "MELBREK," FROM
9, Shanghai, British steamer, for Hankow. "JAPAN GAZETTE." 9, Fung-shun, Chinese str., for Tientein. Yokonama. LIAVING been appointed Agent in Hong.	Hongkong, January, 1876. Hongkong, January, 1876. Agents. [68] THE LONDON ASSURANCE.	BATAVIA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE	count of Twenty per cent. (20%) upon the current local rate of Premis will be allowed apon Insurances effected with this Company.	A PONG AND CO., PHOTOGRAPHERS, 31, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL,	LONDON
VESSELS EXPECTED AT HONGKONG. (Corrected to Date) (C. R. Bishop Falmouth May 30 Hong List, Orders for Subscriptions and Faughts. Ralaugh London June 4 Advertisements for that Paper will be received	INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER OF HIS MAJESTY KING GEORGE THE PIRST. A.D. 1790	Agents for the above Company, are pre- pared to grant Insurances as follows:————————————————————————————————————	Agents Hongkong, 27th June, 1872. [68 MANCHUSTER FIRE ASSURANCE COM-	OPPOSITE SAYLE & Co.'s. This Establishment has always on hand a large Stock of Views of Hongkong, Canton, and Macao, and their Environs, of a Superior Kind	Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for Counter- signature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.
Rhuddlan Castle Cuxhaven June 4 at this Office Ferdinand Brumm Portsmouth June 7 Hongkong Daily Press Office. Elimeters London June 9 Hongkong 23rd May, 1877 808 Helicon Penarth June 14	THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Corporation, are prepared to grant Insurances as follows:—	Policies at Current Bates, payable either here, in London, or at the principal ports of India, Australia, and the East.	PANY OF MANCHESTER AND	at Moderate Prices. The Proprietors, who are prepared to take Photographs of every description, any size, and	will be landed and stored at Consigness' risk and expense.
Oneida Cardiff June 17 THE SECOND COLONIAL SEA AND City of Halifax Cardiff June 19 FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF Lord of the Isles London June 19 BATAVIA.	MARINE DEPARTMENT. Policies at correct rates, payable either here, in London, or at the principal Ports of India, China, and Australia.	A BROKERAGE OF THIETT-THEEF and ONE- THIED PER CENT, will be allowed on all LOCAL RISKS. FIRE RISKS.	Agents for the above Company at Hong- kong, Canton, Foschow, Shanghai, and Han- kow, and are prepared to grant Insurances at	execute all kinds of out-door work, guarantee the perfection of Photography. Note the address:	
Clara Penerth Jone 21 Denbighshire Cardiff June 24 Cuba Penerth June 28 Northampton Beltimore July 2 Denoth	FIRE DEPARTMENT Policies issued for long or short periods at	Policies granted on First class Buildings to	HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, 15th October, 1868. [71]	ST, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL NOW ON SALE. OUND VOLUMES of the China Overland	EX O. S. S. CO.'S Strs. "DEUCALION" AND "ANCHISES." FROM LIVERPOOL
Niagara Cuxhaven July 10 Horsa Liverpool July 11 Jessie Jamieson Cardiff July 13 THIRD PER CENT. (331-/.) will be allowed	LIFE DEPARTMENT. Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5,000, at reduced rates	count being deducted at the time of the issue of Policy.	COMPANY OF HAMBURG.	Trade Report for the Year 1876. PRIOR TEN DOLLARS. Apply at the Daily Press Office.	the Undersigned not later than the 16th instant for shipment per Str. "GLAUCUS."
Tiger Naples July 17 on risks to ports in China Japan the Philip- Cardiff July 18 ports the Brokerage will be FIFTEEN PER Globe Deal July 25 CENTUL (15.0) and the Straits.	HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, 26th July, 1872. [75]	Hongkong, 1st January, 1874. HINA OVERLAND TRADE REPORT	Agents for the above Company, are pre- pared to accept Risks against Fire at Current Rates, subject to a Bonus of 20 per cent.	Hongkong, February, 1877. GUN FIRE OFFICE. FUHE Undersigned is prepared to Grant	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 10th October, 1877. [1517] COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES
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Hongkong, October 16th, 1877.

Is in the multitude of counsellors there be

sary that some other method of keeping of wisdom, a satisfactory solution of the Chinese the complaint should be adopted." problem in America ought soon to be arrived at. The question has been discussed in all its bearings by the Easterm and Western Press, official commissions have taken evidence and compiled reports upon the subject and now we find that it has formed principal topic at a session of social scientists at Saratoga. The Hon. E. R. MEADE, of New York, read a paper in which he recommended ther prohibition or large restriction of Chinese immigration. He is reported to have said-"If they hold to Burlingame Treaty, we must join with England, whose colonies are already suffering from the same thing, to stop immi-This is apparently one of the first fruits of the injudicious legislation of the Queenslanders. The Chinese problem in Queensland was a difficult one, no doubt the evils complained of prove effectual, it is. possible that it may afterwards be found that a much greater difficulty has been thereby created. The empire of China, withits vastarea. teeming population, and inexhaustible resources, is as yet only open to foreigners in a very small degree. For the last half century the nations of Europe—especially Great Britain-and the United States have been prossing on China for greater freedom of The goal to be aimed is unrestricted intercourse. Stop after step made in this direction, an at a most inopportune time, a few Colonial and American labourors from Chinese competition, it is recommended that their governments should

belopt the Chinese policy of exclusiveness, houses, and efficient drainage, would go far thus debarring us the right of demanding towards securing to Japan the immunity the discontinuance of that policy by the she ought to have from epidemic diseases. Chinese themselves. When further conces-All this it is in the power of the Government sions come to be demanded, the Chinese are too astute not to avail themselves of the weapon thus put into their hands. At the social science convention referred to, although this view of the subject was not touched The Tartar General for Kwangtung arrived the prisoners rushed into the boat so as to nearly upon, most of the speakers for various rea. by the M. M. steamer Yangisze from Shanghai upset it. The gentleman struck at the prisoner sons opposed Mr. MEADE's views. One coller said he had been immigrants from other countries in as pitiable a condition as about March next. the Chinese were said to arrive in, and they had been received, cared for, and made good cisco and generally heard good accounts of them. Another remarked that he could see no difference between the competition with Chinese, and the competition with machines which American like other labourers Fantasia have to carry on. The introduction of maclinery into any particular manufacture has always been either tacitly or openly opposed by the operatives engaged in that particular, branch, but experience has shown that although the workmen may for a time suffer in consequence of the change, they ultimately share in the undoubted benefits which accrue from the use of machinery. Machinery is but one form of cheap labour of which the Chinaman is another. The country or the manufacturer who would pay to have work done by hand which could be effected more cheaply and equally aswell by machinery. would act in opposition to every known law charged Mok Aman, the steward, with refusal of ment in three or four weeks, and then the freight of political, commercial, or domestic economy, and the employers of California and Australia, if they throw away cheap labour and told him to clean some glass windows, when pri- hear on all sides hopes expressed that some employ dear will to an extent dependent upon the circumstances impoverish their own

pockets and their country. In the first place,

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contrary accord to the Chinese not the privi-

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in principle and politic in its tendency. China

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THE cholera epidemic in Japan has evidently the departure of the City of Peking from Yokohuma, been altogether stayed, notwith- 8th dividend 3 per cent to contributors standing the precautions taken by the Ja- 9th dividend 4 per cent to contributors panese Authorities to check it. At least so we gather from the last official return of representing in the aggregate Tis: 147,319.24; deaths among the natives in and about the liesarve Fund being raised to Fig. 207,000.48.

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and will soon he stamped out. It is pro-

bable, too, that the outbreak may prove "a blossing in disguise" to the people of Japan, for it has roused attention to the insanitary conditions under which the bulk of the population live. The Authorities have, By Appointment to His Excellency the Go- with most proiseworthy energy, adopted time when the answer was given, I hasten to every possible precaution to prevent the correct it. dreaded disease from spreading. They have instituted a house to house inspection by the police, have insisted upon cleanliness being observed by householders, have called the foreign medical men into consultation and acted on their advice, and have liberally supplied disinfectants to the people. It is true that the zeal displayed has sometimes been greater than the knowledge possessed by the officials chosen to carry out the Government measures, but the intentions were always good. Still it is impossible to repress a smile at such an in- also to find security in \$5 each to be of good cident as the following, related by a Yokohama contemporary :- " A day or two ago a policemen and a doctor on their round of Communications on Editorial matters should be inspection yisited the house of one of our Japanese friends. After carefully looking over the premises to see that there were no lurking places for the disease, and giving some proper directions as to what to cat, drink, and avoid, they asked for a ten cup, into which they poused a strong solution of carbolic acid, with instructions that twice or thrice a day each inmate should apply it to his or her upper lip with a piece of sponge, destroyed before being inhaled. This was

faithfully done, but the present state of the

pper lips of that household render it neces-

The visit of this malignant disease to the

fined \$1 each, in default two days' imprisonment. Land of the Rising Sun will, we trust, be the means of impressing upon both Government and people the necessity for respecting sanitary laws in the future. Source of the natives of Japan have, like the Chinese, been content the allow accumulations of all sorts of rubbish and filth around their dwellings, and the drainage has been much neglected. The numerous alums in the towns have been allowed. to go untouched until a festering mass of pollution has been collected, by which undoubtedly disease has been generated and spread Never, according to all reports, has Yokohama known such a purification as that which has, through the agency of the authorities, recently been given to it. We hope that when the immediate and orying necessity for action has disappeared, the Japanese Authorities will not allow their ardour in labour. the work of sanitary reform to abate. They should seriously and earnestly take up the questions of overcrowding and of making proper drainage, and endeavour by all means in their power to provide against the recurrence of epidemic disease in any part of the Empire. The work will be no light one, but if they are in earnest in the matter very much may be accomplished in a short time. Inspectors of nuisances should be appointed and rules made by which householders would be prohibited from accumulating offensive matter on or around their premises. This would be a great stop towards securing the floor sanitary reform in the towns. The provision of a good and sufficient water supply, regulatiby the last witness. tions for the proper construction of dwelling-

The N. C. Daily News says it is reported that Sir Thomas Wade is likely to return to China

A telegram in the San Francisco papers says

that the steamship City of San Francisco, sunk Another said he had made in at Acupalco, has been found, by divers sent to examine her, to be so badly injured that she can-

> The band of Her Majesty's 28th Regiment will perform the following programme this even-"Silver Trumpets ! ... Viviani. "Flours du Printemps" Bousquet. Reminisconces. "Meyerboor" "God save the Queen." Kühner.

Captain Robertson, of the wrecked barque Merse, and the seven mon who were with him the second boat have, we are glad to learn, arrived safely. Having lost sight of the boat containing the other portion of the crew, whose arrival we obranicled yesterday, considerable anxiety was felt as to what had become hier and the captain, as may be supposed was greatly relieved on learning that she had arrived before him. The men's hands were much lacerated with working the boat A portion of Had any sort of treatment been adopted, I fancy the ship's instruments was saved.

dieston, master of the British bark Brisbane, geration, as the oranges will be ready for shipduty on the 15th instant. The prosecutor said is likely to be good for a steamer; but it is nothis morning he refused to cook for the men. He divert the trade from the old junk system. We could not cook. The captain took him by the chandise (e.g. rattans, dates, &c., &c.) have been arm and pushed him: Then he said he would do shipped from Shanghai and Ningpo by junk, as no more work. Prisoner was sent to ten days' this taxation is either evaded by that course or however, we must avoid that kind of recipro- hard labour.

THE NORTH-CHINA INSURANCE

necessity for the imposition of the tax subsides. The following is the report presented at Fifth Ordinary Meeting of the shareholders, held at the Offices of the Company, Shanghai, on

when thoroughly opened up will afford a Monday, the 15th instant:-

The total amount appearing at the credit of not be able to interfere. It is said that foreign while the Australian Colonies will also pro- the company after bringing forward Teels advent is likely to stimulate ten cultivation in bably enter into it. In view of this, there- 404.190.70 from the present Working Account this neighbourhood. Nous verrons,

the paid-up capital. ordinary meeting held on 9th July, vis :-76h dividend Tle. 70 per chare...

By order of the Court of Directors, HERBERT S. MORRIS, Secretary, "ROGERS IN D."

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS." SIR.—The quotation from the Whilehall Review in your paper of to-day, regarding the three. Creeds, is not quite correct. The mistake is a small one, but, being under examination at the

The 3rd Creed was Rogers in D, not in A.-Yours, &co. S. MICHAELS.

Hongkong, 15th October, 1877.

POLICE COURT October 15th

BEFORE THE HON. C. MAY.

Chan Apan, Chan Ahing, Sung Lai I, an Cheang Asing, bostmen, charged on remand, with creating a disturbance at the Praya West by fighting with bamboos, were fined \$5 each, in default 14 days' imprisoment with hard labour, behavious for three months. Ching Choung Ngan and Lai Hoi Tsing, fisher-

mon, were charged with creating a disturbance at Ap-li-chow. Inspector Matheson stated that shout 11.30 a.m. on the 13th instant the first defendant came to the station at Aberdeen and complained that a man named Ah.fen owed him money and that on asking payment Ah-fon had torn his jacket. He told him he must recover his debt in a logal way and warned him against making any disturbance. About an hour and a half afterwards he heard of a disturbance at Apli-chow, and went there ard found the place in a state of commotion. He saw both the defendants: the first defendant had scratches on his face and the second his coat torn. He judged they had been fighting. The first defendent said a man hought fish of

so that all gernis of the disease might be him and when asked for payment refused, saying that he owed him 32. They quarrelled and he They were fined \$1 each, or two days' imprisonment with hard labour. John Wilson and Martin Bow, two seamen on the American ship Great Admiral, were charged with making a disturbance in the Queen's road

> Lo Ayan, a servant, was charged by P.C. 601 with gambling in the street. When the prisoner The prisoner was convicted in 1876 for gambling and was fined \$10, he was now fined \$5 in default - 14 days' imprisonment with hard

Luing Asing and Lai Awa, the two chair coolies who were charged last Thursday with stealing a silk scarf, were brought up to-day, but there being no further evidence for the prosecution the prisoners were discharged.

A. DARING THIEF. Li Akwon was charged with stealing a jacket from the Nam Pak hong, 52 Benham-strand. Prisoner walked straight into the shop and went upstairs: about a minute afterwards a coolie who was in the shop saw him coming down stairs with his jacket thrown lossely over his arm; he ran out of the shop and cried stop thief. Prisoner was stopped by a Sihk constable. He was sentenced to two months' imprisonment with hard

RUSHING A MONEY-CHANGER. Cheng Ashing were charged with stealing An Ahung said he was a money-changer in front of a shop in Queen's road Central. At

about 7 p.m. on the 14th instant two foreigners came to his stall and asked him to give them American half-dollars in exchange for bank notes. He offered them 21, but they wanted 22. He then counted out 21 builf-dollars and placed them on the stall in four piles, when the prisoner pushed in and made a grab at them. He got got clear away and ran away eastward. H and some of the foreigners pursued the prisoner and caught him near Scott's lane, and he was taken to the station where he was searched. He had a bag tied round his waist, and when the constable untied the bag five half-dollars fell on

Edmond Harwood, second officer of the British bark Aberlady, corroborated the evidence given ~ The defendant said a man dropped the money and he picked it up, then the foreigner soized him. He did not run away.

The prisoner was sentenced to four months imprisonment with hard labour. Ip-a-L Wong-a-sam, and Lau-a-cheung wore to provide, and in the interests of the people brought up by P.C. 534, who said about half-past it ought not to shrink from undertaking the 12 this day he was on duty at Peddar's Wharf, boat. The gentleman had some luggage in his boat, and, without having called for uny coolies.

> with his umbrella, and Inspector Grimes, who was on the wharf, apprehended the third prisoner; he apprehended the other two. Each of the prisoners stated that the gentle. man wanted four ocolies; he had a large box and a bag, and they did not do more than offer

They were fined fifty cents each, in default two days' imprisonment.

4th October

WENCHOW.

The officials have found it convenient to in timate that 40 per cent. will be deducted from the total number of pieces, bales, cattles, &c., &c., in estimating the lekin tax to be paid. This brings the tax nearly to its old standing. traders seem somewhat propitated, and it is rumoured that orders will be sent to Shanghai as before, and trade resumed. As the Calvinists would say, "The Lord grant it may be so, and all of contrary opinion consigned to perdition. The head lekin official has been recalled, but whether this means submission or stronger fight we can't say. Lekin is probably doomed, thanks to German and other national efforts, but I fancy a struggle will be made in articulo mortis.

Cholera did not stay long with us, and has now disappeared entirely. The marmium mortality was 35 per diem, and this only for two days "The Conquest leaves us, swearing she won't At the Marine Court yesterday, Robert Hu- return for three months. This I hope is exag prisoner was on the articles as steward, and that cessary that one should be "on hand" so as to soner said the captain told him to cook, but he Since lekin has been so oppressive, all the merso much modified as to amount to the same thing. It seems foreign contact is the grand excuse for lekin, and the moment this can be avoided the

If their is a Diplomatist in China who thinks, or who believes in past Treaties, one would surmiso that this fact might set up much reflection. This, however must be essentially a ten port and confident hopes are entertained that next market for European goods second only to The fifth half-yearly balance sheet and second good tes will come here, either for sale to the 30th June last are now presented to or shipment for Shanghai. The tea growers are the shareholders, and the directors are glad to willing to take piece goods and opinim in barter, be able to congratulate them on the continued and as these will go up under transit pass, and

is Taels 1,460,629:87, out of which dividends The withdrawal of the regular steamer seems. have been paid of Taels 200,000 on the shares, to have been inopportune, and to have aided the enlightened policy in their dealings with the and Taels 205,429.77 on contributory premis, rebound from the healthy state of trade which Tacls 195,219.66 being placed to Reserve, leave she was gradually forming; but, of course, if ing a balance of Tuels 859,980.44 irrespective of immediate returns are possible, it is unnatural Farther dividends have since been distributed future contingencies, however energetic they been serious, and its progress had not, on in pursuance of a resolution passed at the extra- may have been, whilst these temptations were absent. I trust, however, that some steamer

Tis. 70,000.00 will be here to take the fruit experts. As before, we are very dull in the way of news, and I feel constrained, in trustful expectation of Daily News Correspondent.

there the confidence ended, - World,

LATEST TELEGRAMS. REUTER'S TELEGRAMS. SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS! [VIA SOUTHERN ROUTE.]

THE WAR LONDON, 13th October. Luefket Pacha has succeeded in making junction with Osman Pacha, bringing with him a fresh convoy of provisions and munitions of war. Sulsiman Pacha has established his headmarters at Kadikoi.

SHANGHAI.

Mr. Meller has been appointed Secretary of the Shanghai Washing Company, and ex-officio member of committee. The business will soon be commenced, as steps are to be taken towards purchasing land and the erection of suitable

buildings. Phonsant shooting season has now fairly set in. Over a dozen bonts, most of which started up the northern river (Soochow Creek) on Saturday, but one or two the day before, returned this | ven to the War Department for the purchase inorning with good bags. Sportsmen will be firearms and other articles. glad to hear that phoseants are reported to be in very young still. We saw rabbits too that had shortly be sent to that city by the Okurasho. been shot by one party -- but not larger than a ... A silk factory has now been completed

now exhibiting itself there, that he saw a woman | Works Departments, the Postmaster General, and sweeping up refuse from the streets as described by our correspondent, and a policeman actually took the receptacle into which she had swept it out of her hand, and threw the contents on the as follows :- "I was on shore yesterday (26th lose any, and marched off with it.

or months. About 10 o'clook, the wind began arch-rebel must have drank many a time. less dust, anything but pleasant. The water, saw no dead bodies except the one mentioned, stiff blow and heavy sea.

out one, which, much as we desire to see Shanghai thrive, we hardly welcome with our wonted cheerfulfiess. A cartridge-filling manufactory seems hardly a desirable neighbour, under any circumstances, but particularly when it is in the hands of people who thoughtlessly smoke and carry their lighted paper in the careless manner of the Chinese. Such a business is, however. now carried on in one of the principal thorough fares of the French concession, with materials were passed through the custom house, and by

whom, is a question for our "City fathers." all events; having now drawn attention to the subject as a duty, we feel secure in leaving the was designed. The extent of the compound is tributions of 1873 over these of the succeeding matter in the hands of the local authorities. removal of the Woosung Railway to Formosa is twelveth of the whole space. The main build the list with a contribution to the amount of 500 quite decided upon. Ting Fut'ni has purchased ing was originally a large Buddhist temple, but yen, an item which does not occur in the followdouble line of rails between Takao and Taiwan, wants of the establishment, other smaller houses paupers towards their own support out of their From the latter place it is the intention to earry have been built in the inclosure. The principal cornings (roughly calculating an average of 3 on a heavier and more serviceable line to the building is approached by a path about thirty sen per day from an average of 200 working in sugar districts; and for this, full authority has yards in length, skirted on either side by ever- mates) would amont to about 3,000 gen persunumbeen obtained from Pekin. Under these circumstances, although it is to be regretted that the vicercy condescends to such poor spite, still there is some consolation in the fact that it is bought by a public spirited Chinaman, to be put received us very kindly, and willingly afforded

down independent of the government, on Chinese us any information we required. When we exsoil, and even materially extended. It seems curious that the real enterprise displayed by good as to detach an officer to act as a guide, Ting, should be in such an out of the way crumb of the Empire ; but it matters not. There is the beginning of the working of the leaven; and we do not doubt of railways being, ere many years anthority, the designs of Ting Futai, with reference to the Woosung Railway. He had column of figures with both correctness and America. Japan Mail. arranged for its purchase; he had obtained the rapidity and other children seemed intelligent Imperial sanction; and it was his intention to and diligent. They looked quite fat and happy, remove it to Formosa. His illness, and con. and by their dross no one could have supposed THE AMERICAN SOCIAL SCIENTIST sequent leave of absence have delayed any further | that they were pauper children. At the age

premature as yet to say that the little railway apartments as the women.

sitting as judge, has given judgment in the case | rooms in the establishment, with the two exof the Municipal Council v. Ed. Schellhass and ceptions of the Hospital and Lunatic Asylum, to Congress at Stockholm and extending sympathy. Co., respecting a claim of Tis. 163,80. The which allusion will be made below. On the floor and co-operation with it; also, expressing the plaintiff in the action was the Council for the of this spartment were squatted about 30 men of hope that all the States will furnish the informa-Foreign Community of Shanghai North of the all ages over about 25. As it was about noon tion desired by its investigators and send repre-Yang-king-pang. The defendant was the Ger- some of them were taking a siesta, but others sentatives. man firm of Ed. Schellbass & Co. resident in the were employed in making match-boxes, which | Charles Nordhoff opened the discussion on the Concession Francaise in Shanghai. The plain they did with great dexterity. In addition to labour question. He said the strike this summer tiff asserted that the defendant was the owner or these 30 men, about 120 more, who at the time is an event we should pay more attention to; as consignee of certain godds which at various of our visit were employed at their various trades the matter is not ended. Politicians and dema. summer residence in Tarasp, has (says the times in the course of the current year, bave been elsewhere, occupy this room at night. As the gogues, are taking hold of it. One member of Academy in hand a novel which is now nearly landed within the bounds of the Communal Dis- apartment is lefty and well ventilated, no in- Congress proposes to give labourers a hundred complete. Its title is "Landolin von Beutertrict North of the Yang-king-pang, and that convenience seems to arise from making 200 million acres of land to live on. The State plat- shofen," and the author describes it as a they refused to pay the Municipal dues leviable mats accommodate 150 men.

These men who are able to work are supplied shall interpose between the milroads and em. feuilleton of the Berliner Tagblatt, but Auerbach shall interpose between the milroads and em. 163.80. It was, therefore, sought to compel the with work according to their several abilities: ployes. Others demand a large standing army has given permission to the firm of Moste to araforesaid firm to pay the dues in arrear. The Some are allowed to leave the house and work to keep down the discontented labourers. defendants replied that as inhabitants of the outside, either at some trade, such as shoemaking thought the railroad managers desiring Congress continental journals, and also in translations. French Concession they are not subject to the or the like, or as navvies. But the most of them to interfere had some unprofitable milroads to The Baden newspapers have just given publicity tax regulations of the Municipality North of are employed within the walls of the establishthe Yang-king-pang, and that they did not land ment in making paper. The average amount of show a Christian spirit, and an important portion manner of working. It seems that each new the goods in question in the territory of the money earned pershead is about 8 sen, half of of our daty is to make the labourers interested in creation of the author of the money earned pershead is about 8 sen, half of of our daty is to make the labourers interested in creation of the author of the "Schwarzwalder" aforesaid Municipality, but in the French Con-which goes towards their support and the other their work. Vanderbilt recently said the employes Dorfgeschiehten " is dictated by him to a shortcession. The judge declared the plaintiff non- half is kept for them till they leave the House of his railroad were a part of the enterprise. suited and to bear the costs of the suit. The and is then returned to them, so that some of The evening session was devoted to the discus. the first draft to go to the press. He weeds out grounds on which the judgment was given are them leave having acquired skill in some trade sion of the Chinese question. Rev. Mr. Fes. all the superfluities in this original stenographic specified in detail, and are to the effect that and with a small capital to set them going. if dues are to be lovied upon the goods inde. The next room we visited was the women's much thoughtful consideration, that to carry out matter is frequently princed away. The final pendontly of their ownership, then the lien can apartment, which is of the same description as the recommendation of Meade's paper would be copy delivered to the printer is invariably in only be upon such goods as are found within the the mens', only smaller. Out of 130 women who cruel. He had seen immigrants from other Anerbech's own handwriting from beginning to taxable limits, and not upon the persons who were in the Youka in Jane, about dity were countries in as pitiable a condition as the Chinese and. are outside of them. Hence the Council has in the rooms when I went there, the rest being are said to come. They were received, and had ... The last fragments of the old Hôtel Diou, on possibly the right to stop such goods as have engaged in their several occupations outside. been cared for and made good citizens. He the Place du Pervis, Notre Dame, Paris, are now not yet paid the import and export dues as long They are engaged in the various operations of would welcome Chinese here. as these are within the limits of the Internal paper making, and care from 5 to 7 see a day. Wm. Stickney, of Washington, went to Ore one had a mind to write a history of a building. tional Concession, but their plaint can never lie which money is disposed of in the same manner gen last year. On the way he stopped at San bore is a subject to his hand; no charitable against a party residing outside of the Muni- as in the case of the man. They all were obserful. Francisco and made some inquiries regarding the structure has an equal claim on human gratitude.

cipal limits who is thus not subject in his porson looking, and seemed to be quite comfortable. o the tax ordinances of this community. A The kitchen is a large long room fitted up from that of the paper read. He had good so these wenth century, but is said to have originally second ground for considering the plaint un. with fire-places, cauldrous, etc., like other Japan- counts of them generally, founded was the place of the landing of the ese kitchens. It was very clean, the purpers | Elisur Wright, of Boston, could see no dif. Dame; where the new botel stands was primarily goods. According to the amountested statement being compelled to keep it in that condition. ference between Chinese compete the chief market of Paris. This was about a of the defendants, they landed the whole of the We were so fortunate as to see the dinner of the with American labourers and machines, with century before the days of Charlemagne, and merchandise in question on the French Con- inmates which was just about to be served up, which our labourers have been competing hereto- while the hospital was part of Merovingran Paris; cession, and stored them in their godowns there and consisted of rice and pickled vegetables. fore. He thought it beneath the dignity of and when Paris, so often glorious through its. situated. The fact that these same goods, before The quality of the rice seemed very good, and native American labourers to complain egainst sieges, has borne one such attack, and was ruled. they came into defendants' hands, were placed the quantity sufficient. A man who is able to Chinese. in the Shanghai and Hongkew and Jardine's work is allowed 5 go of rice daily, non-working. Gamaliel Bradford, of Boston, said we had greater power, the hotel was a very renerable-Associated. Wharves for account of sundry men and women 4 go and children receive half seen men striking, receiving \$30 or \$40 per institution, to the doors of which men wounded steamship companies cannot have the effect of that amount. As mentioned above, the food is month, yet Chinese are glad to work for much by the Northmen's swords were brought. The rendering them liable to the Municipal import supplied by contract, but is from time to time less. He thought we should take cogsion to oldest fragment, now being demolished, may be tax of the Settlement North of the Yang-king- inspected by the superintendent to see that it is meet other questions beside that of labour. In dated from the middle of the slateenth century. pang. In reality the goods were imported into up to sample both in quality and quantity. relation to Chinese, it was what would become if it is so old. This is, of course, apart from the

the French Settlement, and not into that on this Hospital patients are allowed whatever food the of our cities when the Chinese came to vote and adjoining chapel of St. Julieu-le-Pauve, which side. The act of the landing was not rightly medical attendants order for them; such as soups, had power in that way? landed upon the French side the goods dis. The hospital consist of two wards for male pathising with statements in the Meade paper, Raigern between Brian and Vienna, has, it is charged on the Hongkew Wharves and this is and female patients respectively. They are two he thought there were points in the Chinese stated, completed a mechanical curiosity in the shown by the notorious usuace of the port that long narrow rooms intling out from the main. question which required careful looking to: We shape of a self-moving terrestrial globe. 1.4 d immediate returns are possible, it is unnatural to expect merchants to pass them by and look to

TIENTSIN.

A considerable number of poor people from the pre chiefly those which owe their causes to im-Tis. 47,784.65 better times, to sign myself as before.—N. C. district of which Tientsin, is the centre, have proper and insufficient food and other evils of

a pair of tight wash leather—you know. And rest is grain. So far as appears, no official notice There is a small next dispensery attached to the my stockings has cared you; I put on two every has adorned the monastery with numerous exis taken of this distress, which will deepen and hespital

multiply every day as the cold winter comes on:

It is now currently reported that the sale of closed at night by ordinary shutters, and in torpedoes to the Vicercy has been broken off, and winter days probably by paper slides. Those ber of the Tatler is the Atheneum is informed Courier Correspondent.

The Finance Department has supplied 2,500,0

Out of the sum of 180,000 yen set apart for great abundance, but the birds shot are generally the Exhibition in Paris in 1878. 11,000 yeu will A gentleman who has lately returned from take place on the 12th instant in the presence of Tiontsin informs us, as touching the poverty the Ministers of the Home, Finance, and Public

A foreign gentleman, now in the South, writes with repes till the paroxysm is over. There is accommodation for 50 patients in the asylum, from Kagoshima, under the date of the 27th ult mud on the shore. But of such vital importance | September) seeing the ruins of Kagoshima, and was it to the poor woman, that as soon as the went up the hill where Saigo and his followers policeman had passed on, she actually went and had come to meet their deaths. They had caves is very high. gathered it up again and all, rather than out in the rocks to hide themselves from the storming party of the imperialists. I was inside This day (10th) has been one of the most dis | some of them, and in Salgo's cave I nicked up a agreeable that has been experienced in Shanghai small cup and saucer, from which I presume the appearance that was observable in the men to rise, and gardually produced a perfect dust was shot in three places, and they cut his head storm (Hwang-sha), which extended far beyond off at the entrance to the cave. His blood was the limits of the settlement, and to all appearance still red and wet when I saw it. Not far off from on the 14th instant, about 8.45 p.m., and were filled the air on the Poetung side and all around. where I stood were some other caves, where Windows had to be closed, and even then the Saigo's officers had been quartered. I saw the dust insinuated itself, govering everything with body of one of them lying outside on its back, grit. The sun seemed at the same time to with the belly cut open and the bowels protrudzeroise greater power, but as it descended the ing, he having committed harakiri. The general of treatment which the Japanese look upon as a air became chilly, and the wind, though with appearance of everything was horrible, though I remedy for various diseases. was very rough in the river, and we doubt not saw the graves of Saigo, Kirino, Beppu, Murata, June, 1877, was 370, of which number 242 were that outside the English mail is experiencing a and several more of the rebel Generals, who were A new industry has been started in our midst, away to night with troops for Kobe. One vessel is here in quarantine on account of coming from Nagasaki, as cholera is there; but she has no sickness on board."-Japan Gasette.

VISIT TO THE WORKHOUSE AT

The site chosen for the Yo-iku-in is a high supplied by a Foreign hong: How the materials distely in the rear of the new Exhibition. It is very picturesquely situated, and as the neighbourhood is a very quiet one it seems to be eminently suited to the purposes for which it We hear on every excellent authority, that the area the houses cover 789 tsubo, or about one- tien of the establishment, the Tokic Fu headed with the intention of laying it down in a as that accommodation was not sufficient for the ing years. The amount contributed by the

greens and flowers. On visiting this place on the 22nd of June of this year, we proceeded first to call upon Mr. Ida. pressed a wish to inspect the place, he was so questions that might be asked.

business connected with the scheme; and we are ten these children are taught some trade, the now led to believe that better counsels have pre. selection of which is determined by the taste and vailed with the Vicerov at Nanking. It may be physique of the child. They occupy the same

In the German Consular Court Dr. Kranel, at that season. This remark applies to the other to stop immigration.

Some distance apart from the buildings de-Troops of women graned with the stump of a sorthed above are a series of long, low, sheds broom, an old dustpan, go daily to the bund, and which contain the insane inmates of the estate driven away by the well fed and well paid blishment. We regret not being able to give police, who have no other occupation. A few such good account of this department of the Yoadditional torpedoos exploded under the nests ileu in as of the rost of the house. The sheds, where these poor people collect, would relieve the above mentioned, are very roughly constructed government of what may prove an embarassment, and bear a striking resemblance to a row of dens The distress in Shansi has become so great, as in a menagerie. They are divided into compartto attract the attention of the officials here, who ments of about 6 ft. by 4 ft. in size. These have have just issued a joint proclamation, inviting a frontage of strong wooden bars, communicate the people of Tientsin to cooperate and relieve with the latrines behind, and are separated from the sister province. Nothing could set forth each other laterally by wooden partitions which the setual condition of things in that fertile allow every sound made in one cell to be disland, so clearly as the fact that even the magis | tinetly heard in those adjoining. A space of trates here fool that something must be done to about 3 feet separates the front of the cells from

the bargain money returned, owing to a failure sheds face the South, and in addition to the to demonstrate the powers of the machine in discomfort arising from the extremely circumconsessmen of a short supply of necessary scribed apaca allotted to him, the patient must chemicals At all events, the failure is a cause find the heat in summer intolerable, and at night of congentulation for the Chinese.—Shanghai when the shutters are closed outside he must be nearly stiffed, as there is no proper provision for Severa ventilation. The building is heated in cold wonther by charcoal braziers, the fumes of which must, in the absence of good ventilation; combine with the waste products of respiration and transpiration to produce a highly poisonous condition of the atmosphere. The patients must, moreover, suffer terribly from cold and draughts on windy days, owing to the improper character the middle of last contary, has just been idenand hasty construction of the building. The at most tractable of the patients are taken out for Niimachi in Joshiu. The official opening will exercise every morning and evening, and made walk in a large open space in the compound. Those putients who are very violent are treated with the douche, the apparatus for which stands at the rear of the sheds. They are also tied up

the true frontage of the building, which is

which is always full, the superintendent having had to refuse several applications for admittance was told that the mortality in this department In a house, also detached from the main building, are the apartments of the blind. Those poor, people likewise had the same comfortable and women panpers described, above. They sions they are provided with decent clothes. which are again changed on their return fo the ordinary pauper's dress-a blue gown with the characters for Youku in stamped on the back. They also practice acupuncture-a kind

The number of immates of the poor house in-

males and 130 females. The revenue of this establishment is derived from the funds set uside for the purpose of poor relief, which had accumulated in the Machigauho These funds are under the control of the Tokio Fu, who souds an officer periodically to inspect the place. The Superintendent also sends yearly report to that office. In addition to the above named funds, voluntary contributions in aid of the Institution amounted to-

making an average for the 4 years about 972 yen. The reason of the great excess of the con-

The expenses of the Yo-iku-in for the corre-

sponding years amounted to-

an avorage of nearly 15,485 year. Of this giving the latter instructions to answer any salaries and wages, amount to 3.120 year per We were first conducted through the large are employed by the Monbusho, and consequently entrance hall (in which were piled up the must their salaries are not included in this sum roll by, in as great esteem in China as elsewhere. quite curtains required for the night) to a small. In conclusion we may remark that with the The works would be actually in preparation but room on the right hand, in which about 30 exception of the Lunatic Asylum, there appears for the illness of Ting, which has obliged him to children under the age of ten were receiving in- to be little or nothing to be desired in the seek three months leave of ebsence, during which struction from two teachers in reading, writing, management of this Institution, and we are cerand arithmetic. The latter subject was taught | toin that the first Poor House ever established A few days ago we reported, on undoubted by means of foreign figures. We observed a in Japan would not suffer much by comparisonlittle boy of about 7 years of age adding up a with many similar establishments in Europe and

AND THE CHINESE QUESTION.

SABATOGA, September 7th. At the Social Science Convention, a paper was will not be removed; but there are grounds for The next room to the school-room was the Chinese question. The remedy for Chinese imhope; and we should not now be surprised to men's apartment. It is a large, lefty room of migration is to be either prohibition or large and that the vice-regal opposition will ofase; 200 mats with plenty of ventilation in summer; restriction. If they hold to the Burlingame. and that he will not allow Ting to get shead of and there is no reason to suppose that in winter Treaty, we must join with England, whose coloit is colder than the generality of Japaness houses | nies are already suffering from the same thing,

form of one party proposes that the Government "Dorfroman." It will be first published in the senden, of Connecticut, said, as the result of edition of his story, and more than half the

Chinese. His information was very different The institution dates from about the middle of

Lord, of Michigan, said that while not sym. A monk of the Benedictino monestery at

day, and can hardly walk a yard."

LITERARY AND ART COSSIP.

The Biographical Magazine will, it is stated, shortly be suspended. The death is announced, at New York, of Mr. L. J. Horsford, one of whose rictures, "Lady Tearlo" was brilibited at the Royal Academy,

Preparations are being made to celebrate the centenary of Tom Moore in 1879. It is proposed to issue an appeal for subscriptions to Trishmen

all over the world. The Ludgate Circus Offices, occupied by the Echo in former days, have been taken by Mr. Gordon Bennatt, proprietor of the New York Herald, for his new London daily parier, The novel. "A Year's Letters," Horoce Manners," to appear in the current num-

Mr. Swinburne's first attempt at novel writing. Mr. George Drayton, stationer and printer, of Shrewsbury, and until recently the proprietor of the Shrewsburn Free Press, was recently drowned by the upsetting of a sailing-best in the river The death is announced of the Rev. F. H.

Laughlin, M.A., late Assistant Librarian of the British Museum. The deceased suffered from bad health, the result of everwork, for some months before his death. A marble bust which has been at Holkham.

Hall, the property of the Earl of Leicester, since ified by Professor Michaelis, of Strasburg, as a portrait of Thueydides. The death is announced, in her one hundredth

venr. of Mrs. Eunice Bagster, widow of the late Mr. Samuel Bageter, the publisher, of Paternoster-row. Mrs. Bagster lived at Old Windsor, and the Queen paid her a visit a short time ago. Le Petit Parisien, which was originally edited w M. Schnorb, of the XIXme Siecle, and afterards by M. Hector Pessard, has changed its olitics, and M. Hector Pessard has retired from its editorship. It is rumoured that it has been probased by a Conservative banker An enterprising publisher is about to bring out a facsimile of the famous Bible, a copy of which is to be seen at the Caxton Exhibition, in

which the 'not' was emitted from the seventh commandment: He expects it to be largely natronised by the nobility and gentry The New York Sun publishes a fac simile of Horace Greeley's last letter to the Tribuna. The engraving should be regarded with incredulity. as it was well known that the Herald possesses. that letter, and has printed it several times as a war map. Similar writing is not unknown to us. The Louvre his recently acquired a fine draw ing of a portrait of a man said to be by Albrocht. Durer; also two or three pictures of the German and Flemish schools. One of these is dated 1526, and signed ." Mabuse." It is the portrait of a nun, and was given to the museum by M. Gossart of Valenciennes. None of these works

have as vet boon oatalogued. During some exeavations near the foot of one of the buttresses of the south tower of Lichfield Cathedral, the workmen have discovered a stone coffin, in which was a skeleton of a man in a good state of preservation. The coffin, which was covered with a stone slab, bears no date, but is. supposed to belong to the 13th or 14th century. The coffin measures six feet five inches in length. In the Hotel Matignon, Paris, in which were recently found the two painted ceilings by Louis le Boulogne pere, some fine wood carving of the time of Louis XVI. was also discovered in one of the salons, which has been bought by M. Adolphe de Rothschild for 50,000f. The better preserved and the Muses, has been carefully removed to the

Hotel Carnavalet. A committe has (says the Academy) been formed in Biberach to collect subscriptions for a memorial to Wieland. A monument has alzeady been erected in Weimar to the forerunner and friend of Goothe and Schiller, but Biberach, which was his native town, in which he spent his youth, and in which also at a later period he held the post of Kanzleiverwalter, wishes to let the world know that the post was a Swabian and a

The dispersion by anotion, by Mesers. Puttick and Simpson, of Leicester Square, London, of the old family library founded by Sir Edward Nicholas (Principal Secretary of State to King Charles L), brought to light some unique and otherwise rare books, among others lot 225. Blasu, "Le Grand Atlas," Il vols, 1662, £23; let 998 Book of Common Prayer, 1662, the "Sealed Book," probably Charles II.'s copy. having the Royal arms on the side, £43; lot 51 "Mr. William Shakespenr's Comedies, Histories," and Tragodios," the third edition, 1664; with an additional copy of the verses by Ben Jonson printed separately on a fly-leaf. £107; lot 528. "Sully's Memoirs." two vols., 1638, a presentation copy to Bir Edward Nicholas, £30; lot 553, Earl-Coningsby's collections concerning the manor of Marden, privately printed 1722-27, £100.

A stained window has been placed in the church of St. James's, Hindlip, Wordester, as a momorial to the late Lord Lyttelton, at the cost of Mr Allsopp M.P. It bears the inscription --" tribute of admiration of his many noble qualities by Henry Allsopp, M.P.;" and the subjects have been specially selected with reference to his lordship's public and philanthropic work. The top light represents "the Faithful Steward in allusion to his lordship's discharge of his duties as Lord Lieutenant of the county. Below are designs representing "The First Council of Jerusalem, intended to recall his lordship's interest in Convocation; "The Building of a New School of the Prophets," suggestive of his work in the cause of education; and "The Departure of St. Paul from Tyre," commemorative of the late peer's visit to New Zealand with the object

of founding the Canterbury settlement. Berthold Auerbach, who has left Berlin for a

and in ventilating the rooms properly without Washington showing that there were not over plates, on which the days, months, do, are inadmitting cold draughts. Each ward is fur 100,000 Chinese in this country, and thought dicated and over these is a smaller globe by nished with about twenty-five foreign beds, there is no reason to four any great indux during means of which the saction of our planet round which were all occupied at the time of our visit, the present entury as they are not an emigrat, the sun is exhibited. The larger globe sets the 3rd-October. The principal diseases observable in the hispital ing people. wheels. The construction of the mechanism "The Pope he leads a merry life," according took more than ten years" patient applicabeen collecting here for several weeks, in the proverty such as ancemia, senile gangrene, to the Roman correspondent of the Nord and is tion, and was only completed after namerous hope of avoiding starvation. They are huddled scables, etc. There was a considerable percentage also a bit of a wag. He intely received a visit experiments. As regards geographical details;

amples of his skill and ingenuity.

A "RING" AND A USURER	F
About a twelvemouth ago a lad named Lanfre	7, H
son of a gardener at Grenoble, received under a pavelope, at one corner of which were the word	
"Pragmatic Sanction," a formal notification-t	0
the Marianne Islands, vacant by the death of	f
King Ferdinand. With the recollection of the diventures of M. Tonneins, the Periguena at	
vocate, better known as the King of Arancani the inhabitants of Grenoble were inclined to loo	
apon the snocession as a joke; but when it wa	s
scortained that the deceased monarch, a frience Lanfroy's father, had drawn up a regula	1 1
political testament of several clauses, incredulit	v 8
gave way to enthusiasin, and young Lanfrey who had been studying law, was advised t	O P
accept the honours so unexpectedly thrus	162
the spirit of the thing; for he appointe	d _,
several of his comrades officers of his house hold, and created a new order entitle	d .
the Southern Crown. The only thing now remaining was to visit his faithful subjects, but	
here a trifling chatacle arose—neither he nor th	19 0
members of his court had any money. The young King, however, was informed that the	re .:
was a "man of business" in Paris who would be glad to accommodate him, and this gentleman	
answering to the name of Bidot, at once pro	on i
essed his willingness to lend him two or thre nillions france as soon as he had received a sur	m
of four hundred thousand pounds due to this rom the Canadian Government. This sum t	m n
was expecting from day to day, as all the neco	8- D
ary formalities had been gone through, but i	m
with 2,000 or 3,000f. "for inquiries?" Before	
rrested by the police on various charges of frau	d. 💯
nd it was during his trial and that of his accounties that the above mots were elicited. Bide	∂ 6 ''
zill not have for five years an opportunity of saisting monarchs in need of a short advance	of c
that being the term of imprisonment to which	
he has been sentenced.	
"DIE WACHT AM"—SEINE	
The genius of misrepresentation or muddle	e-
headedness, i.e., of accidental or wilful erro which characterises a portion of the Englis	
press, whenever it chances to be so ill-advised :	3.8
to deliver itself on Continental 'topics, has nove been more wonderfully manifested than in regar	1
of the approaching. French elections. We have	70
-hy which of course is meant M. Gambette	9 .
Republic offers the sole and single guarante for the continuance of peace, and that the	
frimanh of the Marshalate would be fraugh	25
with undefinable perils to both France an Germany. Further, by way of rendering of	0-
sourity doubly obscure, the British newspape devourer is instructed that the issue at presen	or :
pending in France is confined to the strugg	
between the Republic and its President. It is high time that this balderdash was dea	
with summarily, and that the bare-faced sophism wherewith it is environed should be expose	28 2
To begin with France is not impaled upon the	

horns of a dilemma. She has other alternatives. than the chief of the army and the gentlemen who assume the direction of the democracy : and more, between this and October she will have occasion to review, and to pronounce upon, the exact situation. Matters, indeed, on either side Westher, of the Rhine have arrived at a state of inteler- lique's Rain. able tension. On the Tentonic side emigration of all classes is proceeding at a rate which promises to depopulate the brand-new empire, whilst the drain upon the people's resources consequent upon the maintenance of a huge army cripples every form of industry and foments a spirit of discontent which is only too favourable to the International and similar Communistic organisations. On the other hand, if Germany is armed to the teeth, the cause must be sought in the. little word revanche, which is just now the secret watchword of France. True, neither the Republic nor the Marshalate is anxious to try just yet the arbitrament of the sword. The country must be healed of its wounds before it dares assume an attitude of confidence. Nevertheless, itis manifest that whilst Franco, the fairly prosperous, is becoming reinvigorated. Germany. the exhausted is wearied with waiting for the inevitable, and has already more than once been sorely tempted to strike the coward blow, and to force the fighting whilst her antagonist was yet feeble. The question therefore for France at the present crisis is not the relative pretensions of a MacMahon, a Thiers, a Gambetts, but the future of the country—perhaps its very exist-There can be no doubt but that if the French people at this moment possessed a ruler of the calibre of the Third Napoleon in the days of his HRISTOPHER JOHNSON AND CO vigour, the Germans would very gladly agree with their adversary quickly while they were in the way with him; and that the droaded revenens which tends every year to render either nation a colossal camp would be settled by compromise. in France which operates, and unless the issue

It is the utter and prolonged absence of stability is placed before French people unequivocally, must continue to operate injuriously to the welfare of Europe. In plain English, there France and Germany so long as the former country is content with provisional governments, and without such thorough understanding, based on an equitable compromise, a reduction—we had almost written a demobilisation—of the German army is impossible. In other words, the sword of Damocles will be suspended over Fair France until she can disillusion herself. Nay more, should the present state of anarchy—we use the term in its less objectionable sense continue, and should the Germans perceive that every year brings the revanche nearer to their doors, who could blame them for declining to wait on Providence, or for gaining the advantage of a first and a sudden blow? With a stable government, which the Germans could recognise, at the Tuileries the situation would be changed in a moment, and we have excellent reasons for offirming that the Germans are so heartily sick of their "Watch on the Rhine" programme that they would submit to sacrifices which the world wots not of in order to revert to the old order of peace and industry. With grander contingencies therefore looming in the future, the importance attaching to the desperate efforts of the Marshal to adhere to power and the tampering of the French courgeouse with a thinly-veiled Communism are alike contemptible. France must choose, not between this or that political adven- An Anglo-Chinese Dictionary, published at the turer, but between the enmity or the amity of Germany. We are convinced that the problem can admit of but one solution, and it is to be hoped, with a view to its being thoroughly comprehended, that it will be stated in terms which twords which the Chinese have to late years been even the blindest admirers of democracy will not compelled to coin to express the numerous obfail to understand and appreciate. - Whitehall jects in machinery, photography, telegraphy,

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Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M. on the 23rd instant. Parcel Packets will be received at the Office until 5 P.M. same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required... Consular Invoices to accompany Overland Cargo should be sent to the Company's Offices

n Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the Collector f Customs at San Francisco. For security's sake, Shippers of Overland Superintendent. Cargo are requested to engorse on the Envelope the Marks and Nos. of Packages Shipped, correspond with those in their Bills of Lading.

For further information as to Passage and to the United Kingdom vid Brindisi, or to Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company. No. 9, Praya Central. RUSSELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 5th October, 1877.

SINGAPORE, PENANG, POINT DE GALLE ADEN SUEZ MALTA BRINDISI, ANCONA, VENICE, MEDI TERRANEAN PORTS

SOUTHAMPTON, AND LONDON;

BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND AUSTRALIA. THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship "GEELONG," Captain Fraser, will leave this on THURSDAY, the 25th October, at Noon. For further Particulars, apply to ADAM LIND, Superintendent,

Hongkong, 13th October, 1877. OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAM. SHIP COMPANY:

TAKING THROUGH CARGO AND PAS SENGERS FOR THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE. IN CONNECTION WITH THE CENTRAL AND UNION PACIFIC AND CONNECTING RAILROAD

COMPANIES AND ATLANTIC STEAMERS THE Steamship "OCEANIC" will be des- description must be stated in full on the letter, patched for San Francisco, and Yokohams, on THURSDAY, the 8th November, at 3 P.M., name, with name of Regiment, or Ship, &c., in taking Cargo and Passengers for Japan, the full. United States, and Europe.

Connection is made at Yokohams with Stea mers from Shanghai. Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M. on the 7th November. PARCEL PACKAGES will he received at the Office until 5 P.M. same day All Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required. Return Passage Tickets available for 6 months are issued at a reduction of 20 per cent, on re-

gular rates. For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 37, Queen's Road Central. G_B. EMOBY, Hongkong, 6th October, 1877.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER. HE 33 L. 11 Russian Clipper Ship "JALO." F. Mobern, Commander. For further Porticulars, apply to CAPTAIN Hongkong, 15th October, 1877.

PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY NROM this date, until further notice, a dis-Current Local Rates of Premia will be allowed apon Insurances affected with this Company. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Agents. Hongkong, 27th June, 1872.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY HE Undersigned Agents are in receipt of obliterated before the nature of the contents instructions from the Board of Directors are discovered.

authorizing them to issue Policies to the extent of £10,000 on any one First class Rick or to the extent of \$15,000 on Adjoining Blaks at general understanding of what is a Pattern. It A Discount of 20 % allowed. HOLDIDAY, WISE & Co. 1460 Hongkong, 8th January, 1875,

POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS. A MAIL WILL CLOSE For Swatow.—To-day, the 16th instant, at For Haiphong .- Per Dale, today, the 16th netant, at 5 P.M. For Haiphong. - Per sailing ship, to day, the 6th instant, at 5 P.M. For Swatow .- Madagascar, to morrow, the 17th instant, at 9.30 A.M. For Amoy, Talwanfoo, and Tamsui .- Per Taiwan, to-morrow, the 17th inst., at 11.30 A.M... For Straits Settlements and Calcutta.—Per Argyll and Japan, on Thursday, the 18th inst, For Bungkok, Por Danube, on Saturday, the 20th instant, at 4.30 P.M.

Captain A. MacKenzie, will load here and bave MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET The French Contract Packet "YANGTEE" will be despatched from Hongkong on THURS-DAY, the 18th instant, with Mails to and [1504 through the United Kingdom and Europe, via Marseilles; to Saigon, Singapore, Batavia, Galle, Pondicherry, Madras, Calcutta, Bomboy, Aden, Suez, and Alexandria. The following will be the hours of CLOSING the Mails, &c. :-WEDNESDAY, 17th instant,

r.M., Money Order Office closes. Post Office closes except the NIGHT Box, which remains open all-night. THURSDAY, 18th instant,
A.M., Post Office opens for sale of Stamps. Registry of Letters, and Posting of all corre-

10 A.M., Registry of Letters ceases.
11 A.M., Post Office closes except for Late Let-11.10 A.M., Letters (but Letters only) may be posted on payment of a Late Fee of 18 cents 11.30, A.M., when the Post Office CLOSES en-

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET. The United States' Mail Packet "CITY OF PEKING" will be despatched on WEDNES

11.30 A.M. Correspondence for Japan, the United States, or Union Countries only may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 12 cents 11.50 A.M. when the Mail is finally closed.

The following rates of Postage must be prepaid in Hongkong Stamps. Prepayment is compulsory in the cases marked *:--.

LETTERS. NEWS. & PAI-OZ. PAPERS, TERMS. Cents. Cents. Cents

United States, Canada*, Vanconver and Pr. Edward's Is.* New Brunswick*, Nova Scotia". Bermuda, Brazil, Cuba, Curaçoa, French, Spanish, and Dutch West Indies, Guiana, Jamaica, Surinam, Trinidad (Registration 8 Cents)...... Aspinwall, Paname...... Bahamas, Danish West Indies, Hawaiian Kingdom Newfoundland (Registration 12.

(Registration 12 Cents).... 30 above), Costa Rica, Honduras, New Granada, Nicarapus, Turk's Island, Venezuela (Registration 12 Cents) 26 6 Any articles found enclosed in Newspapers or Book Packets (as silk scarves, jewellery, &c.)

will be confiscated. MAILS BY THE ENGLISH PACKET. The English Contract Packet " GEELONG" will be despatched with the Mails for Europe, &c., on THURSDAY, the 25th instant. . The following will be the hours of closing the Mails, &c. :-

WEDNESDAY, 24th instant, 5 P.M., Money Order Office closes. 6 P.M., Post Office closes except the NIGHT BOX. which remains open all night-THURSDAY, 25th instant, A.M. Post Office opens for sale of Stamps, Registry of Letters, and Posting of all corre-

O A.M. Post Office closes except for Late Letters. Registry of Letters ceases. 10.15 A.M., Letters may be posted on payment of a Late Fee of 18 cents extra Postage, until. 11 A.M., when the Post Office CLOSES entirely 11.30 A.M., Letters (but Letters only) addressed Singupore, may be posted on board the Packet. with Late Fee of 48 cents extra postage; until 11.50 A.M., when the Mail is finally cloued.

Many boxes of letters are received at the Post Office not scaled, that is to say, the box is fastened with sealing wax, but there is no impression of a seal. The attention of boxholders is called to the necessity of carefully scaling such boxes with some recognisable seal, and of sending a chitbook or receipt with them. The omission of the latter precaution leaves a doubt as to when ther the contents of the box ever reached the Post Office; the omission of the former, as to whether part of them might not have been ab-

stracted for the sake of the Postage Stamps. SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' LETTERS. Privates in H.M. Army or Navy, Non-commissioned Officers (but not Warrant Officers, viz. Assistant Engineer, Gunner, Boatswain, or Carpenter), Army Schoolmasters (not Superintending or First Class) or Schoolmistresses may send half-ounce lotters to the United Kingdom vid Southampton by British Packet for one penny; or via Brindisi by British. Packet for three pence. Hongkong stamps will prepay this class of correspondence exactly the same as Imperial Stamps. Soldiers' and Sailors' letters are, however, charged as ordinary letters if they do not con-

form to the following regulations:

1.—Not to exceed half an ounce. No double letters are allowed. 2.—If from a Soldier or Sailor, his class or and the Commanding Officer must sign his

3.—If to a Soldier of Sailor, his class or description must be stated in full, with name of Regiment, or Ship, &c., in full.

Most countries to which Hongkong forwards Correspondence having joined the General Postal Union or being probably about to do so, it is necessary that the following rules be strictly observed. 1.-No Letter or Packet, whether to be rogistered or unregistered, can be received for Postage if it contains gold or siver money, jewels, precious articles, or anything that, as a general rule, is liable to Customs duties.

2.—This Regulation prohibits the sending of Patterns of dutiable articles, unless the quantity sent be so small as to make the sample of no 3.—The limits of weight allowed are as fol-BOOKS AND PAPERS.—To British Offices, 514 PATTERNS.—51b., if without intrinsic value." BOOKS AND PAPERS.—To the Continent, &c.,

PATTERNS -B of. 4.—The following articles cannot be sent by [1539 Post at all -Glass, Liquids, Gunpowder, Matches, Candles, Soap, Indigo. Dye-stuffs, or whatever is dangerous to the Mails or offensive or injurious to persons dealing with them.

The public is reminded that, in China and Japan, there is no much thing as Parcel Post. Much trouble and disappointment is caused by persistent attempts to send small valuable triffer through the Post Fans, Curios, Articles of [67 Dress. Fancy Work, and similar presents are continually being refused, the senders having often spent more in Postago than would have paid the freight by steamer. No refund can be made on such paraels of the value of Stamma

Some difficulty is experienced in abtaining a is a bone fide sample of goods which the sender has for sale or of goods which he wishes to forder. It is to consist of the smallest possible quantity compatible with showing what the 172 cceds are, and must have no intrinsic value.

EXTRACTS. - A PLEASANT EVENING O frash as fair, sweet English girl; Who out of nure good nature. Essayed with me the waltz's whirl, Regardless of my statura

And who, thought I was almost old Enough so be your father, Was neither silent, brusque, nor cold, But seemed so lite me rather,

Who chatted, danced another dance, Till in my exultation thought it quite a happy chance --You were not my relation.

For then you had not had the power, Though ne or so tright and beaming, To make me waste one pleasant hour In sweet (if fale) dreaming.

Till I forgot that I was stout, While you were slight as willow, And had pathetic thoughts about My solitary pillow.

Till I forgot that I was caret With gott and indignation, And in a sentimental burst Had almost popped the question. Till-well, your mother claimed my arm

To lead her to her darriage. And proudly praised your wit, your charm And-your approaching marriage. Ah, owner of that opon brow, I fear that I shall miss you

My eyes to your pure eyes to lif With frank affection Lind, To spenk my blessing, give my gift, Without a thought behind ... -London Society.

I would I were your father now,

A moment—just to kies you

and guitar. From its fourth string can be the laws of the country. rnwn sounds at least suggestive of those o

the horn. Its "harmonies" bear comparison with the sound of the flute in its unner register. More than any other artificial kisses with respect the hands of the old instrument those of the violin family can couple, and not until this necessary salutaeinge; and sing, under proper manipulation, tion is over do they begin any familiar conas few even of instruments "not made with versation. They now all prepare for the hands" and capable of speech can sing evening meal. First the old grandfather eats, Nothing could possibly add to the charm and then the men of the family seated round variety of music in the house-like a general large block of wood which serves them for a increase of skill in violin playing. And if table, and then the women and children take this increase is made, it must be made, for their meal. the present at least, through female aid. An exclusive devotion, through the growing All the family gather around the hearth instrument; not to say that hands stiffened they begin to speak at past battles. and deformed by the hat and the oar, are old father has some story of the days of little likely to make much of the bow or the great Vladika, and tells of the number fingerboard. The bland and stupid astonish white plumes which he himself received very mention of a female violinist was once slain with his own hands. Then the younge and Raphael of his saints, is no longer Montenegro will send forth when danger universally regard as unbecoming to "the next threatens their mountain homes. sex," nor in any hands ungraceful. But After these warlike recollections, which are Music in the House," by John Hullah.

A SAWDUST SUIT. Preachers, lecturers, orators, and legislators busy themselves mightily about man's intemperate drinking, but discreetly leave woman's intemperate dressing alone, thinking probably with Fanny Fudge that Why a new bennet should stand in the way

Of one's going to heaven, "tien't ensy to say

the error of their ways in this respect must be credited to Quixotes of their own sex. The latest thing out in this direction is the "Emancipated Costume," invented by Mrs. Martha Gearing, of Wisconsin, and intended to free woman from the thraldom of fashion. the trammels of skirts, and the bills of dressmakers. Going into her sawdust-lined icehouse one day Mrs. Gearing found it as agreeably warm then as it was pleasantly cool in summer; and, thinking over this extraordinsaw-dust clothing was the only wear for sersible women An American journalist anxious to enlighten the ladies without offending their modesty, says that if the new dress were to be made for a boy of six it would consist of a shirt and trousers combined, and that the pattern would be preeisely the same were the garment intended for a large-sized female reformer, hairpine, and boots the only addition required to complet the toilette. The emancipated costume is made double, the intervening space being divided into water-tight compartments prowided with valves, through which sawdustcan be introduced, in quantities regulated by the wearer staste. By taking in or letting out a little sawdust, the emancipated costume can of rails to the ice, without grading, plling, tressing would arise, so much so, indeed, as that I am going to be married? Four ercavating, ballasting, or tving, so that it to, increase persons and prevent millions, my boy, four millions B

A "SLATING."

the dramatists of ancient Rome and Greece, pher North." although it was not in their original tongue." Like him, he must have acquired that almost preternatural dulness which a long course THE PIANOFORTE AND THE VIOLIN. who does not understand Latin; but at the benefactors of London has, to use a phrase With the planeforte the instrument of all time when the proverb was made Bohn's of Horace Walpole, "tapped" a curious and The duets for violin and planoforte of Mozart feries' story. We should very much doubt was a more field of the coarsest and rankest

> EVENING IN MONTENEGRO. Every one, as he or she enters the house,

After the mealthe evening rest commences years of boyhood, to cricket and boating, The men smoke, the women sew, knit, or however directly conducive to "the promotion attend to the wants of the children. Then of piety and good literature," leaves little turn by turn the men relate stories of pertime for the acquisition of skill on a musical sonal adventure. As a matter of course ment with which the apparition-nay, the acknowledgement of the Turks which he had received among us, is happily a thing of ones tell of the days of Grahova and of their the past; and the instrument which Fresele exploits under Mirko, and look forward with has so often put into the hands of his angels, undisguised satisfaction to the call that

"everything in this world," said Metastasio, always listened to with profound interest, "is habit ; even virtue itself." There is an those who have been at the market in Cat-Oxford tradition, that at an amateur concert | taro tell the news which they had heard there. about the year 1827, the performance of the and especially of anything that is taking appreciate, and the good feeling to pro- Flodden first male planist that had been seen in that place in Western Europe which promises to university was rewarded wish a storm of have an influence upon their own destinies. hisses. The pianoforte was then regarded In the course of the evening neighbour after as essentially a woman's instrument !- From | neighbour drops in and joins, the friendly circle, and the gulse is then brought out, and lavs of the ancient days of Servia, of Bosnia. glories of the reign of Stephen Dushan, are droned out from that monotonous but national lyre. And when enough of these have been recited, songs of domestic love, of the deeds.

of the Hayduks, or weird lays of the Vila of

the mountaine, fill up the evening.

And thus night draws on, and the time for bed, or at least for sleep, arrives; the friends The very few attempts to turn ladies from who have come from the neighbouring cottages disappear, and as they move homeare alone, and the members of it cluster into which formed the completion of the work Mangerton painting of the name-saint of the family with through Swallow-street, how Regent-street, then recites aloud a short prayer, which ends and healthy outlet, the Regent's Park. Melusine with the ancient form of the Orthodox Church Whatever may have been the faults and Meteor in which our Lord is asked to accord one and errors of the Prince Regent, he has left at Mignon all "a peaceful rest and safety from all evil least one good mark of his exisistence on the Northern Star angels." And now, the day-duties at an end metropolis. the fire is covered up with ashes, and the mattresses are stretched out upon the floor By the Rec. W. Denton, M.A.

THE ECCENTRICITYES OF

may be removed as soon as the ice becomes one from attending to matters of overwhelm, comes back to us and relates the incident mespable of bearing the sersin, and housed ing importance, if you do not remember to with a long face. My position is as good E. Castle until winter comes round again. All the cut the multon in a diagonal rather than a se Maxime's. Hang it, I have been over. National and a se Maxime's. Hang it, I have been over. National and the multon in a diagonal rather than a se Maxime's. longitudinal form." The cook, a Scotch wo. hasty?" Wesminster Review.

man, had groat reverence for Dr. De Quincey The Saturday Review, in its notice of a as a man of genius; but after one of these work of by a Mr. Richard Jefferles, entitled interviews her patience was pretty well ex. As Reported by Chinese on rem 15th Oct., 1897, "World's End," says: -We do not under hausted, and she would say, "Weel: I never stand why Mr. Jofferies calls his novel a heard the like o' that in a my days; the bodie story in three books. It is, indeed, in three has an awful sicht o words. If it had been volumes, but there is nothing very singular my ain master that was wanting his danger American Drills, 15 bs., par piece Heroine with One Nose as a Novel in Three this claver about a bit mutton mae bigger than Cotton Yara, Bombay Books. It is true that the first volume or a prin. Mr. De Quinshoy would mak a gran' Chines, per pieco hook, whichever Mr. Jefferies likes to call it, preacher, though I'm thinking a hantle of the Dyed Spotted Shirtings, per piece is entitled Fucts, the second Persons, and folk wouldnaken what he was driving at. Dyed Damesk Shirtings, per piece. the third Results. Each book, moreover. Betty sobservatious were made with consider- English Della, 20 yards; per piecehas its own quotation on the title-page. able self-satisfaction, as she considered her English Drills 15 lbs, per piece But for all that, we fail to see any division insight of Mr. De Quidcey's character by Grey Shirtings, 7. that per place either in matter or style. The first volume no means slight, and many were the quaint Grey Shirtings, S lbs., per piece was foolish, the second volume was foolish, remarks she made, semetimes hitting upon Grey Shirtings, 9 lbs., per piece and the third volume was foolish; and they a truth that entitled her to that shrewd sort Grey Shirtings, 10 lbs. per piece were all foolish in the same way. There was of discrimination by no means uncommon in Grey I Cloths, 24 yds. 482 in 5 bd. p. pe. no variety in their folly, no relief from the the humble ranks of Scottish life. But these Grey I Cloths, 24 yds 36 in 8 bs. XOp. pe. wearisomeness of one unbroken stream of little meals were not the only indulgences. GreyT.Cloths,24yds36in8ibs,QLp.pc. \$1.85 to 1.90 silliness. Whether the book was entitled that, when not properly attended to, brought GreyT.Cloths,24yds36in8ibs.XXp.pc. \$2.55 to 2.80

pretentious and so dull that it is scarcely of the fire, his head resting upon a book, possible to get a laugh even at him. There with his arms crossed over his breast, plunged Velveteens, Black, per yard solemn for that. His dreariness is not he was most brilliant was generally towards adulterated with accidental mirth. He, like the early morning hour, and then more than his here, must, we should imagine, have once, in order to show him off, my father read "many of Bohn's fine series, the finest arranged his supper parties so that, sitting and most useful perhaps ever issued," if we till three or four in the morning, he brought White Shirtings, per plece my trust Mr. Jefferies. Like him, moreover, Mr. Do Quincey to that point at which, in White Brocades, per piece he must have "read Plato and Aristotle, charm and power of conversation, he was so Livy, Xenophon-the noets, the philosophers, truly wonderful. -Mrs. Gordon's "Christo-

A LONDON BENEFACTOR A correspondent writes to the Pall Mall of reading can alone give. No one, says a Gazette: Your contributor who lately called Spanish proverb, can be thoroughly foolish attention to the forgotten and unrecognized others to be advantageously combined is the series had not been issued. Thorough folly not uninteresting subject. Only those who Argyll violin. To this nearly all the great modern is therefore now much easily attained and is are old enough to remember St. James's Camoes composers have in practice borne testimony. far more common. But to come to Mr. Jef. Park when what is now called the Enclosure City of Peking and Beothoven are allong the most esteemed if he himself has really mastered his own grass, separated from the Mall and the Bird. Dale and Beethoven are allong the most esteemed if he ministrates mastered his cage-walk by a ha-ha and a clumsy palisade, Danube productions of those many sided composers, plot; but we feel quite certain that, if he cage-walk by a ha-ha and a clumsy palisade, Emuy A list of similar works by less gifted men has, none of his readers will. Like us, they except in front of the Parade at the Horse Fame would form a considerable volume. For the will one and all give up the attempt to un- Guarda where there was an iron railing through Ferntower. performance of these the violin is of course derstand its numerous complications and which the water of the canal overflowed, Fu-vew indispensable. Nor is it less useful," in the minifications long before they have reached to the great delight of the juvenile anglers of Ichang house," for that of music not specially in- what the author calls Gordian knot No. 7. Westminster only those who remember that Japan tended for it. Its capabilities, having regard We have to the best of our power read the Enclosure in all its neglected ugliness can Juan to its limited size, are astounding. Though story; but we must confess that we under appreciate what the thousands who now enjoy no instrument rivals it in its own parti- stand very little about it. Perhaps we might strolling through its well-tended paths and cular sphere of operations, it rivals others more easily have followed Mr. Jefferies if we shrubberies and of revelling in its beautieseven in theirs. Its puzicate equals or sur could have begun by entirely forgetting and it abounds in bits of artistic beauty-owe Saada passes the only legitimate sounds of the harp whatever little knowledge we may possess of to him who led the way to this great improve- Sea Gull ment. The first step was taken in 1814, after J. Jeejeebkoy fêtes which were given in honour of the visit | Sunda of the Allied Soveraigns to this country. Palwan

The bridge then constructed over the canal, from which there was a great display W. C. de Vries of fireworks, was afterwards thrown open to the public, forming a most convenient access from Westminster to Pall-mall and Yottung St. James's street, and vice vered. But, if George the Fourth is only entitled to the credit of having inaugurated a movement which resulted in transferring the exclusive Aarhnus use of the enclosure from the cows of the Abiel Abbot park-keepers who added to their wages by the sale at their several lodges of " new milk Alphington and curds and whey" to the enjoyment of Alva the crowds who now frequent it, the crince Anguste Regent is entitled to the gratitude of Lon- Batavia doners for two great works which still and Brisbane ought ever to bear his name. Only one who | Canton at the commencement of the present century. Ch'ron Kamry had occasion to work his way-say from Pall-mall to the Oxford-road (as it was then Chinaman called) through the dingy purlieus of Oxford Chocole Market, which stood between Carlton House Cilumum and Jormyn-street, and then through the Coeran wretched narrow street which a ranting Colorado preacher of the time thought the fittest type | Constance of "the strait gate and narrow way" which Corinne his hearers ought to tread, concluding his Criterion picture of its difficulties by saying "he could only compare it to Swallow-street, Piecadilly Danhin -only such a one can recognize what London owes to him who had the good sense to E. v. Benulieu mote the carrying out of, the plan which Galatea Nash the architect had suggested for transforming the dingy alleys for they were not worthy the name of streets-into Waterloo-place and Regent-streest; and for Good Hunter those spacious and handsome thorough- Great Admiral abused Sovereign, George the Fourth. Nor Gustav Adelph did George the Fourth's endeavours to improve and beautify the metropolis end here. H. S. Sanford. In some satirical verses on the "Nash-ional India Taste," written to ridicule the architect by whom these alterations had been designed

areproach that To hasten their plan
At both ends they began,
But when will they make both ends meet? ward the chant of a prayer is heard, until This was true, for while Waterloo-place was Ld. Macaulay lost in the distance. At length the family the one end of the plan, the other was that Lucre corner of the room where hangs a rude commenced in St. James's Park, carried Marco Polo a lamp burning before it. The old father and terminating in that popular, beautiful, Melbrek

FRENCH MARRIAGES. of the cottage, and, wrapped in their strookas A vast majority of marriages in France are P. Saraphi but not before they have again kissed the marriages of interest that is to say, com- Prosperity hand of the house-elder and received his mercial bargains. This is true not only of Roderick Hay blessing—the different members seek their the idle class, but of the working classes. It St. Joseph allotted places with their feet turned towards is true throughout. Does a good salesman Starlight the fire; and without dreaming of fastening wish to set up in business on his own account, Sumatra the door, in patriarchial simplicity they drop he looks for a wife whose dowry will be his Sydenham taleap, free from thought of danger because working capital. Does a landowner think of The Murray consciously under the protection of their God. improving his estate, he takes a wife who -Montenegro, its People and their History, will enable him to drain, or whose acres will Thoon Kramom dovetail into his own. A lawyer marries in order that his father-in-law may push him in politics or help him on the bench. An Woodville architect marries because his wife's first W.E. Gladstone I remember him coming to Gloucester (an consin will get him employment in the city so that one dress will serve all the year Edinburgh abode of Professor Wilson's) works. A man of fashion marries because round; and it has the merit of allowing as one stormy night. He remained hour after his recent lesses on the turf would otherwise liberal a display of form as the present bou, in vain expectation that the waters oblige him to retrench his little comforts. Bortha style of ladies' gear, without interfering with would assuage and the hurloy-burley cease. It is a barter, nothing else: so much pro- Humboldt. the wearer's freedom of movement. This There was nothing for it but that our visitor fessional prespects against so much resdy alone ought to make Mrs. Gearing's inven. should remain all night. The professor cash; a rich old maiden aunt against a seat Powan tion acceptable to those for whose use it is ordered a room to be prepared for him; and in council; a coat-of-arms against three men- Yangtsze designed, but that ingenious dame has ef: they found each other such good company servants in livery. The mutual claims are feetually defeated her object by devising a that this accidental detention was prolonged, weighed, compared, discussed by the two costume possessing such advantages that the without further difficulty, for the greater notaries in the study, while the Buitor, in sex would never be allowed to monopolise its part of the year. During this visit some of his dress-coat and cream-coloured gloves, is Bosina use. As a transatlantic critic observes, the his eccentricities did not escape observation, paying respectful attention to the young lady Spark schoolboy would worry the home authorities. For example, he rarely appeared at the in the parlour. Neither party is the other's until they clad him in emancipated costume, family ments, preferring to dine in his own dupe; the gentleman, when talking to his that he might be enabled to endure with room, at his own hour, not unfrequently friends about his matrimonial prospects, will fortifude the reproofs of his teacher; and turning night into day. His tastes were always mention the "solid" advantages first; H, Bremer map-pedlats and book-agents bound for revery simple, though a little troublesome, at sind the lady, on the other hand, can tell to June gions inhabited by heavily shod people of atthetic build would insist upon donning sawdust stuffed suits. Cricketers, gymnasts, and workers of the masculine persuasion that invariably formed his diet. The cook, the other side. "Lost Tuesday, at the would guard themselves against casualities who had an audience with him daily. Club, says Taine, B --- was telling three in like manner, and milway travellers, liable received her instructions in silent awe, or four of us of his approaching marri- Baltie to suffer from the mistakes of sleepy signal. quite overpowered by his manner, for age. A nice-looking girl—respectable—Benefactor men, and the colliding propensities of goods had he been addressing a duchess he well brought up—good family; we shall have Bessie Morrard passenger trains would soon come to could scarcely have spoken with more 40,000 frances a year between us to begin Emma look upon the emancipated costume as the deference. He would couch his request in housekeeping. We congratulated him. He Gustav travelling man's best companion, even if his such terms as these: "Owing to dyspepsia steps out and meets an old comrade of his, but terms as these: "Owing to dyspepsia steps out and meets an old comrade of his, but terms as these: "Owing to dyspepsia steps out and meets an old comrade of his, but the possibility of the possibility of Maxime A——, just getting into his carriage afflicting my system, and the possibility of Maxime A——, just getting into his carriage Nicolans Superior by the proposed winter railroad, any additional disagrangement of the storage in a great hurry, who calls, out to him as he superior by simply spitting four hundred miles taking place, consequences incalculably dis-drives off, I say, old fellow, have you heard W. Minstrel

WOOLLEN GOODS. Birds Nests, Srd quality, por ploud HONGKONG MARKETS. \$2.75 to 1.80 Brimatone, per picul...... Bañalo Hides, Manila Blankets 7 lbs. per Dair \$2.70 to. 8.0 \$8,25 to 2.27 57.40 to 18.50 Pens Black por picul. Blankets, 8 lbs., per pair \$19.00 to 19.50 Peas, Yollow, per pioul...... \$4,800 to 5,000 Peas, Green Beans, per pio \$1.08.60 2.02 Blankets, 9 lbs., per pair. Camphor, packed, per pioul. Camphor, Baroos, olean, per picul. Poss, Groon Beans, per piont. \$2.14 to \$.16 Blankets, 10 lbs per pair. \$2.600 to 5.200 Pear Barley, per picula \$145 to 150 Potatos Flour, per picula \$0 M) to 7.80 Blankets, 12 lbs., per pair. Cardamons, Superior Cardamons, Interior, per picul Tls.1.50 to 7.5 Camlets, BSS, per picco. \$15.80 to 16.00 \$10.80 to 17.00 \$17.00 to 17.20 \$18.50 to 19.00 | Putchuck, per pioni 513. to 14.70 \$2.65 to 2.70 Camlets, 88, per piece....... \$3.50 to 8.60 Camlets, 8, per piece....... Cloves, per picul, Coals, Affoct, perton Rhincoros Horn, per nicul. Phinnocros Horn, Mother, per picul \$42,50 to 43,00 \$2800 to 8,000 in that. We should as soon expect to hear he would ha ordered a hale tablefu' wi little Cotton Yarn, No. 16 to 24, por 400 lbs. \$94.00 to 101.00 Camlets, BBB, por piece. \$2,000 to 2,400 Coals, English steam, per ton. 110.75 to 10.15 Bico; Siam, No. 1, per picul-\$232 to 234 of the Life of a Hero with Two Eyes of of a mair than a waff o' his haun, and here's a Cotton Yarn, No. 38 to 42, per 400 lbs. \$105.00 to 118.00 Cambets, AAA, per piece. 89.50 to Rice, Slam, No. 2, per picul \$22.20 to 24.50 Rice, Slam, milled No. 1, per picul \$28.00 to 29.00 Rice, Slam, milled No. 2, per picul Coals, Sydney, per ton., Coffee, per plant...... \$2.35 to 2.28 \$04.00 to 88.00 Long Ells, MM Soarlet, per place \$2.16 to 2.18 Copper, Sheathing, Japan, per picul \$1.70 to 1.75 Long Ells, MM Searlet, per piece....
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Quicksliver, English, per picul \$15.50 to 16.50 | Straits Produce, &c.,-\$27.50 to 29.00 Betel Nut, per picul Cuttlefish Charchow, per picul. Dates, Black perpicul..... Papper, White per pical. Dates, Red, per pical Pepper, Black, per pioul Dried Lily Flowers \$13.50 to 14.20 Elephant's Teeth, 4 to 5 pieces. \$250 to \$00 Rattan, Straits, par picul. \$5.30 to 5.30 Rattans, Hangar, per picul Sandal Wood, Malabar, per picul Quickentyor, American, per picul Flour, California, per sack of 50 lbs..... Flour, American, per barrel of 100 lbs... \$1.60 to 1.60 \$8.50 to 8.60 Sandal Wood, South Seas; per picul ... \$18.00 to 13.50 Sapan Wood, Manils, per picul. \$1.60 to 2.00. Sapan Wood, Siam, per picul. \$2.25 to 2.60 Sheathing Matal, per pical. Flour, American, per barrel of 200 lbs... \$695 to 7.20 Spoltor, per picul \$84.50 to 85.00 \$20,00 to 20.40 Fangus Tin, Malacca, per picul. 25.00 to 5.95 Flinta, per pioul \$0,50 to 0.65 Sugar Shek-lung, White, No. 1, p.pol. 30.21 to 0.22 Ginteng, American, 1st quality, p. picul. \$200 to 285 Gineeng, American, 2nd quality, p. picul. \$160 to 210 30.21 to 0.22 are writers so ridiculous that, without in the least intending it, they are often the cause, would lie in this state, until the affects of of amusement. But Mr. Jefferies is far too the torpor had passed away. The time when of amusement. But Mr. Jefferies is far too the torpor had passed away. The time when the cause of the torpor had passed away. The time when the cause of the torpor had passed away. The time when the cause of the torpor had passed away. The time when the cause of the torpor had passed away. The time when the cause of the torpor had passed away. The time when the cause of the torpor had passed away. The time when the cause of the torpor had passed away. The time when the cause of the torpor had passed away. The time when the cause of the torpor had passed away. The time when the cause of the torpor had passed away. The time when the cause of the torpor had passed away. The time when the cause of the torpor had passed away. The time when the cause of the torpor had passed away. The time when the cause of the torpor had passed away. The time when the cause of the torpor had passed away are caused away. The time when the cause of the torpor had passed away are caused away. The time when the cause of the ca Sugar, Shet lung, Brown, per picul. Tls.21.00 to 21 5.0 Sugar Candy, Foothow, per picul. Hams, Superior, per picul-\$10.50 to 12.00 Sugar Candy, Swatew, White per picul \$7.63 to 7.70 \$10.40 to 11.00 Ten Oil, per picul \$9.00 to 9.20 Imp, Hankow, per pion! Hamp, Siam, per picul.... 20.83 to 1.10 Hamp, Siam, per picul. 215.20 to 15.40 Isinglass, Japan, per picul. \$30.00 to 35.00 Melon Seeds, 1st quality, per picul. \$11.00 to 11.80 Melon Seeds, 2nd quality; per picul. White Shirtings, 600 reed, nor place538.00 to 45.00 Vermicolli, Tiontain, per picul \$8.60 to 9.50 White Shirtings, 7,000 reed, per piece... \$5.50 to \$.65 Walnuts, por picul 31.65 to 1.70 Beche de Mer, per piople. White Shirtings, AA, per piece.... White Shirtings, EF, per piece... \$5.25 to 5.30 \$5.10 to 5.20 \$5.90 to 5.95 Bees Wax, Japan, White, per pict \$43.00 to 48.00 Wheat, Tientain, per pioul \$1.80 to 1.90 \$47.00 to 48.00 | Mushrooms, per pioni \$4.60 to 4.65 | Bees Wax, Hankow, Yellow, par piont. White Shirtings, MH, per piece \$11.50 to 13.00 Wheat, California, per picul \$65.50 to \$6.00 Mussels, Dry Siam large, per picul... \$2,200 to \$,000 Mussels, Dry Siam middle, per picul... \$650 to \$600 Mussels, Dry Siam small, per picul... \$2.00 to 215 \$6.10 to 6.15 | Boss Wax, White, per pion E835 to 9.85 Wood Oil per pionl. 0.7.5 to 0.8.0 Birds Nests, 1st quality, per picul... Birds' Nests, 2nd quality, per picul... \$7.95 to 8.25 Window Glass, per box \$3.25 to B.28 SHIPPING IN THE ICHINA WATERS DESTINA-OAPTAIN. VESSEL. CONSIGNEES. CAPTAIN. CONSIGNEES. VESSELS. TONS.

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